

GIVES FORECAST OF WORLD POLITICS

German States Wilson's Policies Will Form Two Groups of Powers

COMMENTS ON ATTITUDE

Asserts Feeling in U. S. Over Zimmermann Note is Incom- prehensible To Germany

TERMS IT A PRECAUTION

BERLIN, March 10.—via Wireless to Tuckerton.—In a forecast of the world's political situation after the war, Dr. Siegfried Heckescher, a member of the foreign relations committee of the Reichstag, predicted to The Associated Press correspondent today that President Wilson's war policies would result in the formation of two new groups of world powers. He said:

"I even go so far as to assert that, uninfluenced by fate and the calculations of statesmen, President Wilson's war policies ultimately will result for decades to come in two new groups of world powers."

Dr. Heckescher, who for many years has been an active director of the Hamburg-American line, is prominent in parliamentary circles.

Discussion Handicapped

"Any discussion of developments in Washington just now is severely handicapped because of our dependence upon the Reuters and Havas despatches," said Dr. Heckescher when the correspondent asked him for the impression in Reichstag circles concerning President Wilson's international policies.

"These despatches," continued Dr. Heckescher, "not only frequently are two or three days late, but as we have regretfully learned, frequently are very cunningly distorted for obvious purposes."

"The extreme feeling in your country over Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's instructions to the German minister in Mexico is quite incomprehensible to us. They concerned purely precautionary military measures, to become effective only in case the United States declared war on us. They were part of our active mobilization plans in case we were attacked by the United States. A nation surrounded by world enemies, as we are now, cannot be blamed for viewing the latent enmity of Mexico toward the United States as a possible active asset in case of war."

Wilson Called on Neutrals

"Did not Mr. Wilson at a time when the two governments still were formally on a friendly footing, boldly set out to marshal the whole neutral world against us? Then witness the action of the entente in China I desire to emphasize, as typically German the fact that Secretary Zimmermann in his instructions to the German minister in Mexico explicitly stated:

"You must not undertake any steps until the United States has declared war on us." Are there not among your citizens men of standing who have retained sound and sober judgment as did Senator Underwood, who literally voiced the sentiments expressed by factions in the Reichstag pointing out the period or eventuality when the possible German-Mexican alliance was to be consummated?"

"How would the future political map of the world look if the United States entered the war?" Dr. Heckescher was asked.

"It is my unshaken conviction," he replied, "that a new constellation of nations would automatically result in that eventuality, personal sympathies and antipathies would count for nothing. It is wholly immaterial whether we lean toward Japan or Germany, toward the United States or toward Germany, for with permanent enmity toward Germany she cannot counteract the menace of an Anglo-American coalition."

Germans Can Look Calmly On

"We Germans can look calmly on Japan must find a path that leads to us and whatever is left in Germany of common interest in the white race will disappear like chaff before the wind with American intervention in the war against us."

Dr. Heckescher then asserted that President Wilson's policies would automatically result in a re-alignment of the world powers.

"On the one hand," he declared, "we shall have an Anglo-American group. Opposing it will be a German-Russo-Japanese coalition which by the way will not be inimical to the life interests of our central and eastern European allies. I especially emphasize that Russia's dream of a conquered Constantinople without conquest, will have been realized with the Dardanelles proclaimed a free waterway."

"Looking still further forward it would seem to be plainly indicated that with the Dardanelles open the irreconcilable contrast between Russian and English interests will stand out more boldly than ever because of England's masterly cunning in converting the Mediterranean into an inland sea in order that in the future instead of facing the problem

BELIEVES AMERICANS CAN OBTAIN RELEASE

Former Canadian Minister of Militia Voices Opinion

Major General Hughes states there should be no legal steps in way of American officers fighting with the forces of Canada.

New York, March 10.—The belief that, in the event of war between the United States and Germany, American officers fighting with the forces of Canada should have no difficulty in obtaining their release to aid in training American troops, was expressed here today by Major General Sir Sam Hughes, formerly Canadian minister of militia.

"I do not see why there should not be reciprocity," Sir Sam declared. "There should be no legal steps in the way. But your Yankees would be right soon to get shape."

Confers With Major Gen. Wood.

Sir Sam came to New York on Friday. His mission, according to reports was to confer, as a representative of the British army, with United States army officers. He declined to discuss his visit, insisting he came on personal business, but admitted he had visited Governor's Island and conferred with Major General Leonard Wood, commanding the department of the east.

Sir Sam expressed keen interest in the state department's ruling that armed American merchantmen may fire upon German submarines at sight.

"If the government has done that, it is an act of war," he exclaimed. "It means nothing else. But Germany has already committed acts of war on the United States in many ways and many times."

Alludes to Zimmerman Note.

Sir Sam alluded to the Zimmerman note in Mexico to invite Japan to form an alliance against the United States in case of war with Germany. "It shows that Germany is pretty badly done for," he said.

Sir Sam expressed his opinion that German submarines would never get near enough to New York to shell the city.

"But suppose all the German submarines in the universe did succeed in getting into New York harbor, they could not do much harm," he said. "A few fast raucers would be able to destroy them all within a week. Last fall Germany sent out twenty-one submarines within one week and there were only five which were not destroyed or captured two weeks later."

LITIGATION TAKES ON A NEW ANGLE

ST. LOUIS, March 10.—The litigation instituted by the government to dissolve the so-called Harriman railway system, partially successful when the supreme court reversed a decision of the district court of Minnesota and ordered the Union Pacific to divest itself of the Southern Pacific, took a new angle today when the federal court for the district of Utah denied a petition of the government to separate the Central Pacific from the Southern Pacific. The principal Central Pacific line is that part of the Southern Pacific between Oakland and Ogden.

The decision was filed today at Salt Lake City, where the original suit was brought.

LINER ADRIATIC REACHES NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 10.—The White Star Line steamship Adriatic, which left Liverpool March 1, arrived here today with 273 passengers. Officers of the ship said the German submarine zone was crossed without unusual incident.

Nothing resembling a submarine was sighted during the voyage, but a six-inch gun mounted on the stern and manned by experienced gunners was kept ready for instant use. The Adriatic also was equipped with devices to shroud the ship in smoke in case of an attack.

Captain H. Takashima, master of the Japanese steamship Chinto Maru, torpedoed and sunk January 4 when 200 miles off Gibraltar also was on board. Captain Takashima is returning to Japan.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The weather predictions for the week beginning Sunday, March 11, issued by the weather bureau today are:

"Great Lakes region: Rain or snow followed by fair after Sunday until Thursday or Friday. Colder weather Sunday night and Monday followed by rising temperature thereafter.

Plains states and upper and middle Mississippi valley: Fair, although local rains or snow are probable in the northern portion Wednesday or Thursday. Colder weather Sunday will be followed by rising temperature Monday and Tuesday and moderate temperature thereafter.

DECISION FAVORS RAILROAD

New York March 10.—The Southern Pacific company announced here today receipt of advice that the United States circuit court of appeals at Salt Lake City has rendered a decision in favor of the Southern Pacific in the suit of the government to compel the company to sell its control of the Central Pacific railway.

of the Dardanelles she will find herself confronted with the question of Gibraltar.

"The seed sown by President Wilson in his war will not ripen today or tomorrow. It will spring into maturity when the historical exposition of the American and Japanese Monroe doctrine will occur on the high seas and the battle fields."

VOICES JAPAN'S REGRET AT AMBASSADOR'S DEATH

Embassy Cables Statement by the Japanese Foreign Minister to the State Department.

Washington, March 10.—A statement by the Japanese foreign minister expressing the nation's regret at the death of George W. Guthrie, the American Ambassador at Tokio, was cabled to the state department today by the American embassy.

"Mr. Guthrie has done an incalculable service," said the foreign minister, "in promoting and cementing the closer friendship between the United States and Japan. His demise at the present time is an immeasurable loss not only to American but to Japan also. With sincere regret I extend my heartfelt sympathy and condolence to America and to the American people."

The embassy also sent a despatch regarding the ambassador's death, that in part follows:

"On Thursday, March 8, at 4 p. m., Ambassador Guthrie suffered a stroke of apoplexy while at the Tokyo golf club. He was brought to Saint Luke's hospital at 7:30 and died an hour later. Mrs. Guthrie was with him at the end."

"The funeral will be held at the American Episcopal Cathedral on the 13th instant. Full official honors will be extended by imperial government, their majesties being represented by an imperial prince and princess."

"It is the present intention of Mrs. Guthrie to return to the United States in May."

TO DISCUSS BUILDING OF SUBMARINE CHASERS

Daniels Calls Conference of Motor Boat Builders

Navy Department Has Designs of Several Types Ranging From Thirty Foot Boats up to Big Swift Craft More Than 100 Feet in Length

Washington, March 10.—Plans for the immediate construction of a large number of submarine chasers for use by the navy in coast patrol work will be discussed with motor boat builders at a conference called by Secretary Daniels to meet here Monday.

The navy department has designs for several types of chasers ranging from thirty foot boats up to big, swift craft more than one hundred feet in length. In order to make use of the small boat shops that dot the American coasts it is proposed to build many of the chasers of wood instead of steel.

Navy officials generally have favored the larger boats. A boat 110 feet long would be able to keep the sea continuously in ordinary weather for a considerable period. Heavier guns could be carried also, than on small craft and living conditions for the crew would be better. It has been estimated that the first chasers could be constructed in two months or less and that duplicates could be produced at the rate of thirty to fifty a week thereafter.

On Monday also, the major shipbuilders will furnish the secretary with written statements of their capitalization, contracts, plant plans and other data necessary to distribution of the navy building program under the speeding up requirements recently authorized by congress.

Monday's conference representatives of the manufacturers who supply machinery and equipment for navy vessels will see the secretary to discuss their part in the speeding up process. It has been said rapid building is handicapped by the time it takes to produce engines, more than by any other factor. The secretary plans to call upon engine and boiler makers for co-operation similar to that for which he is striving among the shipbuilders.

GOVERNOR FERGUSON TAKES WITNESS STAND

AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—Governor James E. Ferguson of Texas this afternoon took the witness stand before the house investigating committee and began his reply to the charges brought against him in a resolution introduced in the house.

The governor said it was true vouchers had reached the comptroller's office of purchases for the executive mansion of musical supplies, ukelele, jewelry and other articles, but that this had been due to mistakes and to oversight on his part in endorsing vouchers.

He said as soon as he learned of these mistakes he immediately settled the bills.

Regarding traveling expenses Governor Ferguson said such money as spent was for the state's benefit and resulted in saving huge sums of money.

WHITMAN WILL CALL SPECIAL ELECTION

NEW YORK, March 10.—Governor Whitman announced today next Monday he will call a special election in the Fifteenth congressional district to select a successor to Michael F. Conry, Democrat, deceased. The governor received a telegram from Representative Mann, Republican leader in the house urging him to do so.

"The organization of the house still is in doubt," Representative Mann informed the governor.

RELAX PRECAUTIONS

Washington, March 10.—Precautions for safeguarding governmental buildings and reservations taken when the international situation became most acute a few weeks ago, now have been relaxed so that practically all the attractions of the city are again open to visitors and tourists.

MAY FIRE ON GERMAN U-BOATS AT SIGHT

State Department Expresses View of Defensive Armament

MAKE NO ANNOUNCEMENT

Whether Position Will Be Em- bodied in Instructions To Merchantmen Not Stated

BEGIN PREPARATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The American government today began the actual preparations to arm American merchantmen against Germany's ruthless submarine warfare. Ship owners, having been notified of President Wilson's decision that he has full legal authority to proceed with the policy, details were taken up so there might be the slightest delay possible in granting requests for defensive armament.

When vessels sail under the policy of armed neutrality they will do so with the full backing of the administration—expressed in the form of war risk insurance and naval guns and gunners. It was made clear today that in the background will be the entire resources of the United States—ready for action should Germany attack an American armed ship in violation of the warning of the American government.

Based on German Announcement

The state department's view of defensive armament as expressed today, was that the mere appearance of a German submarine or its periscope near an American armed vessel would entitle the vessel to take all measures of protection on the presumption that the U-boat's purpose was hostile. This was based on Germany's announcement that her submarines would attack without warning any belligerent or neutral merchantman encountered within the barred zone.

Whether this position will be embodied in its instructions to commanders of American armed ships and whether arms and ammunition would be furnished to vessels carrying outboard were up for discussion today but no announcement on either point was authorized.

The attitude of President Wilson has been that no steps of a belligerent character should be taken and that if a state of war comes it must be thru Germany's commission of acts in clear violation of international law. Some officials close to the president are known to feel that in line with this policy the United States should not sanction a shoot-on-sight program which might be construed as aggressive.

The list of contraband articles recognized by the United States differs widely from those drawn up by the various belligerents since the outbreak of the war and therefore it is believed that only actual munitions of war will be placed on the restricted list for the purpose of determining what ships are to be insured.

CHARGE COMMISSION OF CUSTOMS FRAUDS

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Charged with committing customs frauds against the United States in receiving merchandise smuggled from the interned German commerce raiders, Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm at the Philadelphia navy yard, Henry Rohrer, president of the Henry Rohrer company wholesale grocers of this city; Adelbert K. Fischer, president of the Schutte-Koerting company, machinists; and his wife Helena Fischer were held in bonds of \$5,000 each for trial by United States Commissioner Edmunds here today. Floyd Fischer, a chauffeur, and Berthold Fischer, a helper, employees of Rohrer, were held in their own recognizance as witnesses.

A sergeant of marines detailed to watch the gates to the navy yard is said to be under arrest in connection with the alleged smuggling.

Federal officers tonight would neither confirm nor deny a report that munitions had been smuggled aboard the interned vessels in exchange for articles sent out from the ships.

AUTO HITS INTERURBAN CAR; FIVE INJURED

COLFAX, Ia., March 10.—Five persons were injured, two seriously early this morning when the automobile in which they were riding collided with an interurban car, near here. The auto was entirely demolished. Clarence Clark and Miss Violet Stewart were seriously injured and were taken to a local hospital where physicians said they had a fair chance for recovery. The three others escaped with minor bruises.

DEDICATE MEMORIAL TO FITCH

Galesburg, Ill., March 10.—As a memorial to the late George Fitch, humorist, author and legislator, a chapter hall designed on the lines of a Greek temple, was dedicated here on the Knox College Beta Theta Pi Fraternity house. Beta Fraternity men representing middlewestern chapters attended.

TAKE STEPS TO BUILD WOODEN VESSELS

Federal Shipping Board Issues Call to Builders for a Meeting to be Held in Washington March 14.

Washington, March 10.—Steps looking to the speedy construction of a large number of wooden ships from 3,000 to 3,500 tons register in American yards on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts were taken today by the federal shipping board in issuance of a call to the chief builders of such craft for a meeting to be held here March 14. The board's program calls for the adoption of one or more standard sizes, the training of unskilled and expediting materials.

Should the builders not voluntarily agree upon a uniform program it was brought intimated the government might commandeer the yards. Tentative estimates before the board show that under the program 2,300 ton wooden ship can be built in from four to five months and that the yards available for this class of work could construct up to 1,000 such craft within a comparatively short time.

Present plans are to use the vessels in Trans-Atlantic trade and if via the Panama canal. It was stated that the ships also might be used to convey foodstuffs to "other nations" whose interests would be in harmony with those of the United States in case of war and that the types selected as standard would be chosen with a view to their availability for use in war as well as peace.

FIND THREE GUILTY IN CONSPIRACY CASE

Two Women and a Man are Given Prison Terms

Mrs. Wheelton, Her Daughter and the Latter's Husband Convicted of Conspiracy to Murder Premier Lloyd-George and Arthur Henderson

London, March 10.—Mrs. Alice Wheelton, her daughter Mrs. Winifred Mason and the latter's husband, Alfred George Mason were found guilty of conspiracy to murder Premier Lloyd-George and Arthur Henderson, member of the war council.

Mrs. Harriet Ann Wheelton, another daughter of Mrs. Wheelton tried on the same charge, was acquitted.

Mrs. Wheelton Given Ten Years

Mrs. Wheelton was sentenced to ten years penal servitude. A sentence of seven years was imposed on Alfred Mason, while his wife was given five years penal servitude.

Judge Low in summing up the case said the poison that figured in the case had been required for dogs as had been claimed it was unlikely that such particular poisons as the ones named would have been selected in such large quantity and with such secrecy and mystery.

The jury was out for consideration of its verdict for only twenty minutes.

Harriet Wheelton was discharged from custody.

Attorney Riza asserted in his argument that the case was one of persecution instead of prosecution and declared that the accused were free citizens and entitled to use any language they liked. Even if the accused were guilty of plotting against the lives of the ministers, he said the obvious course would have been to have the "silly people" interned.

The judge in his address to the jury commented upon the singularity of the fact that the Spy Booth had been called to give evidence. If the jury was not required to testify, if the jury considered the absence of Gordon fatal to the case of the prosecution they were entitled to say so. On the other hand the judge said, if the jury was satisfied that the evidence substantiated the charges they could convict the prisoners.

Mrs. Pankhurst Denies Charge

Mrs. Wheelton was found guilty on all counts—conspiring and soliciting to murder by poison. Mr. and Mrs. Mason were found guilty of conspiracy but the jury recommended them to the mercy of the court because of their youth. Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffrage leader, by permission of Judge Low went to the witness box to controvert the statement alleged to have been made by Mrs. Wheelton to Booth.

Effect that the suffragettes had spent three hundred pounds in an attempt to poison Premier Lloyd-George by driving a poisoned nail into his boot. Mrs. Pankhurst declared that such a statement was absolutely false in every particular.

REPORT ON STOCKS OF FOOD HELD BY PACKERS

CHICAGO, March 10.—A report was made public today by First Deputy Superintendent of Police Westbrook showing the amount of foodstuffs on hands in the plants of the packing concerns in the stock yards, as compiled by the health department of Chicago. The report shows that the packers have on hand the following quantities of foodstuffs:

Beef 53,530,982 pounds.
Pork 10,311,451 pounds.
Lamb 827,302 pounds.
Veal 989,353 pounds.
Poultry 20,093,639 pounds.
Eggs 20,193 pounds, bulk.
Eggs 58,485 cases.
Butter 5,824,985 pounds.

TYPHUS BREAKS OUT IN BELGIUM

Amsterdam, March 10.—via London.—The Les Nouvelles de Maasricht learns that distress in Belgium has increased greatly that an epidemic of typhus has broken out. In the commune of three, province of Limbourg, alone 80 deaths in the population of 4,000 have occurred in the last two months the newspaper adds.

KILLS GROND HOG

Quincy, Ill., March 10.—A ground hog, 20 inches long and weighing 12 pounds, was killed by a farmer at Quincy near here this week. It is the first animal of that kind killed in Adams county in years.

LAND ONLY THIRTEEN OF RELIEF SHIPS CREW

One Boat from Norwegian Steamer Reaches Shore

American Member of Crew Among the Survivors Tells Story of Sinking and Battle with Heavy Seas in Open Boats.

London, March 11.—Only thirteen men of the crew of the Norwegian steamer Storstad, a Belgian relief ship, have been landed, says a Cork dispatch to Lloyds' Weekly News. They were the occupants of the only boat to reach shore, which they did after fighting stormy seas for thirty-six hours. John Roy Christian, the American member of the crew, was among those who reached shore. The fourth engineer died of exposure and two boats containing more than thirty men are missing.

Christian, the dispatch adds, said: "Vessel Plainly Marked."

"We were showing two Belgian relief bars on each mast and had the Belgian relief emblem on four parts of the ship. In addition we had the Norwegian flag hoisted and it was also painted on the sides of the vessel."

"The submarine on sighting us began to fire shells. I went to my life boat but returned for more clothing as the weather was cold. When I got back my life boat had taken to the water. We called out that we were a Belgian relief ship but when we thought that all danger had passed the submarine fired a torpedo. We took to the boats and caught up to the other boats which had gone on before."

"The Germans began firing shells all around and some fell near the boats, so we were a good distance from the Storstad. They appeared to be firing for fun. I do not know any other reason."

In Boats Thirty-Six Hours

"We were in the boats for thirty-six hours with heavy sea running and a strong wind against us. We were balling constantly and everybody became exhausted. The fourth engineer became very ill and died in the boat. The submarine refused to tow us when we asked for such aid."

Captain Anderson of the Storstad, the despatch to Lloyds' News adds, says the Germans saw the Belgian relief signs on the Storstad very clearly.

"When we were in the open boats," the captain said, "I asked the German commander to give us a tow and told him it was bad business. He did not reply but made off at full speed. Then they commenced to fire shells and some fell dangerously near us."

The members of the crew were in a state of collapse from cold when they landed.

SPRINGFIELD HIGH WINS STATE TITLE

Defeats Belvidere in Finals by 32 to 11 Score—Bloomington Finishes Third and Peoria Manual Fourth.

Decatur, Ill., March 10.—Springfield High School's brawny five won the high school basketball championship in the finals tournament which was brought to a close in Millikin University gymnasium tonight. The final score against Belvidere was 32 to 11. Bloomington, after losing the semi-finals to Springfield, finished third and Peoria Manual fourth.

Today's scores:

Semi-Finals.
Springfield, 14; Bloomington, 9.
Belvidere, 16; Peoria Manual, 6.

Finals.
Bloomington, 20; Peoria Manual, 9.
Springfield, 32; Belvidere, 11.

Press All-State Teams selected were as follows:

First team: Mace, Bloomington; Wilson, Peoria, forwards; Eielson, Springfield, center; Morrison, Bloomington; Engkele, Peoria, guards.

Second team: Silvers, Belvidere; Dunne, Springfield, forwards; Bean, Bloomington, center; Farmer, Duquoin, Clouser, Springfield, guards.

MAKE NEW ARRESTS IN GERLACH CASE

PARIS, March 10.—A number of fresh arrests have been made in Rome and elsewhere in connection with what is known as the Gerlach case, according to a Milan despatch to the Matin. The names of the accused will not be made public until the trial.

Monsieur Von Gerlach, an Austrian was private chamberlain to the pope. He was forced to leave Rome in January through pressure brought to bear on the Vatican, according to a semi-official despatch from Berlin, by the representatives of the Entente. Prior to this departure an Italian named Ambrogio, who claimed to be Monsignor Gerlach's financial agent, was arrested charged with being implicated in the blowing up of the Italian battleship Benedetto Brin and Leonardo Da Vinci. Monsignor Gerlach was the only Teutonic prelate in the pope's retinue.

PRESIDENT RECOVERS

Washington March 10.—President Wilson has recovered tonight from the cold that kept him in bed for the last four days. He was said to be weakened, however, and greatly in need of rest. He sat up today and conferred briefly with Attorney General Gregory.

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MAY SETTLE EIGHT HOUR CONTROVERSY

Railroad Officials to Con- sider Brotherhood Lead- ers Compromise Plan

TO CONFER THURSDAY

Will Not Permit Threatened Strike to Embarrass Govern- ment in Case of War

SEND LETTER TO WILSON

CLEVELAND, O., March 10.—Settlement of the railroad eight hour controversy irrespective of whether the supreme court holds the Adamson law constitutional or unconstitutional was forecast in Cleveland today by action of the biggest and most important conference of brotherhood leaders held since the grave hour six months ago when a nation wide strike impended.

Announcement of the four unions compromise plan, to be threshed out at a meeting with railroad officials in New York next Thursday, came simultaneously with the revelation that the brotherhood chiefs had notified President Wilson that a strike or threatened strike would not be permitted to embarrass the government in case the United States was drawn into war. Following the meeting of 400 chairmen of the four transportation organizations who gathered here for a nine hour meeting today, came the disclosure that a letter had been sent two days ago to the president virtually committing the unions to abandonment of any labor crisis that might exist in case of international trouble.

Chairmen of general committees and chairmen of local committees came to the Cleveland meeting from all parts of the middle states today. All the vice-presidents of the four organizations were also present. The chairmen represented the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

Details not divulged.

A statement was given out signed by Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the engineers; L. E. Shepard, acting president of the conductors; W. S. Carter, president of the Firemen and Engineers and W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen announcing that a plan of settlement of the controversy had been drafted by the Brotherhood heads and submitted to and approved by the chairmen.

While the details of the settlement plan were not divulged it was stated that the union representatives would lay before railroad officials a compromise plan based on the employees' fight for an eight hour day. "It was decided to renew efforts to obtain a settlement," the official statement said, "and a meeting had been arranged with the National conference committee of the railroads, to be held in New York on Thursday, March 15."

President Lee of the trainmen, speaking for the brotherhood chiefs, announced that a meeting similar to today's conference would be held in Washington next Tuesday when the plan will be presented for approval to the chairmen of southern railway systems. The plan will be submitted for the approval of the chairmen of eastern roads at a meeting in New York on Wednesday.

Today's meeting was attended by representatives of men employed on the New York Central lines, east and west of Buffalo, including the Michigan Central, the Big Four and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad and the Pennsylvania, Nickel Plate, Baltimore & Ohio and other roads.

Terms It a Peace Effort

"The settlement conference with the railroad officials will have nothing to do with whatever action the supreme court takes in the present test of the Adamson law," President Lee said. "An effort will be made to reach an agreement that will bring peace between the railroads and the men if the law is held constitutional."

An effort also will be made to work out a plan that will effectively take the place of the Adamson law in case it is held unconstitutional.

ISSUES BANK CALL

Washington, March 10.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Monday, March 5.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois: Rain Sunday, colder by night, Monday unsettled and colder, possibly rain or snow; fresh to strong shifting winds.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

Jacksonville	59	70	39
Boston	38	44	32
New York	38	46	30
New Orleans	72	76	58
Chicago	58	58	35
Detroit	48	48	32
Omaha	38	46	30
St. Paul	34	34	24
Helena	16	20	14
San Francisco	50	52	44
Winnipeg	54	52	44

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Down in Washington they are now talking of a "coalition" plan for the organization of congress. "Coalition" means much the same as bi-partisan, but is a more high-sounding term. Then there is more or less opprobrium attached to the word "bi-partisan" thru connection with state legislative history.

LIQUOR AND TUBERCULOSIS.

In a recent interview Dr. John Dill Robertson, health commissioner of Chicago, gave some interesting figures to show the progress of the fight against tuberculosis in Chicago, and at the same time gave the dry movement a genuine boost. The records of Dr. Robertson show that during 1916 3,756 people died in Chicago from tuberculosis while record for the previous year was 4,169. "The closing of the saloons on Sunday," Dr. Robertson says, "has given men more time to rest and has prevented them from spending time feeding tuberculosis with alcohol. Following the same line of argument if the closing of the saloons one day has been of such marked benefit in the fight against tuberculosis, what would be the result if the saloons closed seven days?"

THE EASIEST WAY TO AID.

A great many Americans are hoping that Judge Henry Neil of Chicago, who has just sailed for Japan, was well informed when he declared that "the allied nations will not want the United States to send an expeditionary force to Germany in case of war with Germany." Judge Neil said that in talking to members of parliament and other people prominent in public life in England, he had definite statements that in case of war England and her allies would much prefer to have the United States direct its strength toward the supplying of munitions and the necessities of life for the great armies already in the field.

This kind of assistance would not be nearly as spectacular as sending an expeditionary force but would be a lot safer and would certainly appeal especially to those mothers who have not "raised their boys to be soldiers."

THE URGENT DEMAND FOR PARKING SPACE

Saturday gave still further evidence that more parking space for automobiles is one of the questions which the city council must soon solve. By 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon practically every bit of parking space upon the square was occupied. It is a safe estimate that while a vast number of cars were in the city, that not more than fifty or sixty per cent of the number that will be here in the late spring or early summer months, were in view.

Every Jacksonville business man is interested in providing convenient parking facilities for visitors. As has been suggested before, it would be quite possible without large expense to lower the curbing around the park and cover the surface ten or twelve feet back with concrete. In this way the parking space immediately adjoining the park would be more than doubled. For now the position of street car tracks in relation to the curbing is such that none of the south side and portions of the east, north and west sides, are not available for parking space.

But whatever the solution, the question is one which demands early consideration, so that when visitors from the country precincts are more numerous than they were Saturday they will find not only a hand of welcome in Jacksonville, but convenient space for their cars.

THE SALVATION ARMY RECORD

The Salvation Army has a great record of usefulness and points with pride to the following figures covering ten years of activities:
Buildings in use at present, 1,218.
"Missing friends" found, 2,391.
Tons of ice distributed, 6,932.
Accommodation in institutions, 11,499.
Officers and "noncoms", 11,070.
Children cared for in the rescue homes, 12,350.
Girls passed thru rescue homes, 18,155.
Tons of coal distributed, 36,162.
Men passed thru industrial homes, 152,815.
Families visited, 298,405.
Number given outings, 243,418.
Number of converts, 571,642.
Situations found, 771,726.
Hours spent in active service, 1,050,180.
Number given temporary relief, 5,486,002.
Number beds supplied, 33,925,189.
Number meals supplied, 43,624,744.
Attendance at outdoor meetings, 96,292,759.
Attendance at indoor meetings, 120,385,993.

QUOTING SCRIPTURE TO BILLY SUNDAY

Ministers and churches of St. Louis are very much provoked just at present because Evangelist "Billy" Sunday has written and canceled his engagement which had been fitted for February, 1918, in St. Louis. The most unsatisfactory thing about it is that the evangelist has given only vague reasons for his change in plans and the ministers and churchmen do not believe that they are getting quite a square deal.

While the famous evangelist is doing a great work, it must be admitted that he is somewhat arbitrary in his way of doing things and unless every condition is wholly satisfactory he will not "play" at all. The St. Louis Globe is getting after Mr. Sunday with his own weapons by Bible references. This is what the Globe thinks of the controversy.

"When St. Paul heard a cry for help from Macedonia he did not drive any hard bargains. He did not require unanimity in the call or specify the size of tabernacle, the number of voices in the choir or similar conditions. Least of all did he send spies to ascertain whether the foes of the gospel were reconciled to his coming. St. Paul, with his impetuous zeal, went over and helped. When Christ sent out the disciples in pairs he charged: 'And whosoever will not receive you, when ye go out of that city, shake off the very dust from your feet for a testimony against them.' But they first visited the city and gave it a chance. 'They did not shake the dust from their feet in advance and pass the city by. Nineveh repented under the preaching of Jonah, hopelessly as he looked upon his mission. Jonah sought to shirk the task imposed upon him and took a ship going to Tarshish. Is Mr. Sunday another Jonah?"

TO LOVE WE TRUST OLD GLORY
See that banner proudly streaming,
With its stars so brightly gleaming,
O'er the land of brave and free;
That bright flag the heavens sweeping,
Is an emblem in our keeping,
Of truth, love and purity.

No kingdoms, not to empires,
Not to selfish aims, desires,
Surging in the human breast,
Do those stars point in their beauty,
But to love as man's first duty,
That God's kingdom manifest.

Twas from lands of threatened dangers,
That those stars call'd tired strangers,
To the promised Eden spot;
Bright haired youth, and heads grown hoary

Sinking 'neath the folds of "Glory"
I Columbia's melting pot.

Does there breathe a traitor knowing
That those colors brightly glowing
Port him to the living God?
Is there born a dastard, lowly,
Who could desecrate so holy
Land whereon his foot hath trod?

Is there living human, hating,
Who with demons may be mating,
Breeding lumps of deepest hell?
May his hate be taken gripping
Ere his mar a star, or striping,
Of that banner loved so well.

Banner of Star-Spangled glory,
Sung in song, and famed in story,
Beacon when seems dark the night,
Into being love hast brought thee,
Now to living love we trust thee,
Symbol of eternal light.

—S. A. Hughes.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION NEEDED.

Next Wednesday Governor Lowden will go before the legislature to urge the passage of laws submitting to the people the question of a constitutional convention. By this action the governor will be carrying out another of the platform pledges of his party. In fact, both parties are committed to the constitutional convention program. The governor in an interview given yesterday lays stress upon the need for a revision of the constitution if the full benefits of the consolidation bill recently passed are to be received. The passing of the consolidation bill was a step toward more efficient and economical government and it will remain for the people to make certain changes in the constitution if the economy and efficiency program is to be carried to a ripe fulfillment.

Any fairminded legislator should be willing to support the measure giving the right to the people to vote upon the calling of a constitutional convention. Even legislators who doubt the expediency of such a convention should support the present measure for it simply means giving the people a chance to decide whether or not they want such a convention. It is said that some legislators will oppose the law because they fear that the constitutional convention would do away with minority representation and thus jeopardize their own positions in the house. Speaker Shanahan has taken a broadminded position on this subject for he is heartily in favor of the constitutional convention and is doing all in his power to pass the law which will result in submitting the question to the people. At the same time Mr. Shanahan represents a district in Chicago where without minority representation his election would not have been possible.

There are various important matters to be considered by a constitutional convention and without going into an argument for revision or need for changes, it would seem a patent fact that a constitution agreed upon in 1870 could not fulfill to the best possible extent all of the conditions of the present time, almost fifty years later. True, there are certain essential principles and provisions included in the present constitution which must not be disturbed, and the only purpose of the suggested convention for revision is to make additions and changes appropriate to fifty years of growth and progress. Conditions of population, business and state affairs have changed in a marvelous way since the days of the constitution.

GEO. PERBIX, CHAPIN, BUYS BUICK CAR

Howard Zahn has delivered to Geo. Perbix, Chapin, his new Buick. Mr. Perbix is in his eighty-sixth year but is expecting to get lots of enjoyment out of his car. This was Mr. Zahn's 32nd sale this year.

VISITING IN EUREKA

Donald W. Henderson of Concord is visiting his sister, a student in Eureka College. He left for Eureka Thursday making the trip with horse and rig and going via Springfield.

LONG TIME RESIDENT DIED THIS MORNING

Mrs. Elizabeth Gunn Passed Away at Family Home on South Main Street—Ill Since Last December.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gunn died at the family home, 1358 South Main street this morning at 12:50 o'clock. She was taken ill with gripe in December which later developed into pneumonia which finally resulted in death.

Deceased was born at St. Charles, Mo., December 10, 1855. When a young woman she came to Illinois and settled at Little Indian. She was united in marriage at that place to Augustus Stevenson March 1, 1885. To this union six children were born. The husband five children preceded her in death.

She was again married in 1882 to Vernon Gunn. This marriage also took place at Little Indian. Immediately afterward they removed to Jacksonville which has since been her home.

She is survived by one son, C. L. Stevenson with whom she has made her home, one step-son Edward F. Stevenson of this city, one brother James Luckey of Litchfield.

Mrs. Gunn was a member of Centenary church. She lived firm in the faith of the Master and was highly esteemed by a large number of friends.

Funeral services will be held from the residence, 1358 South Main street Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. E. L. Picher. Burial will be at Little Indian.

THE LARGEST AND NOBBIEST ASSORTMENT OF READY TO WEAR GARMENTS AND MILLINERY EVER SHOWN IN JACKSONVILLE CAN BE SEEN AT HERMAN'S GRAND SPRING OPENING, THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH.

WITH SICK PEOPLE

M. O. Mathews, Westminster street, is able to be out a little after a long illness with pneumonia.

Prof. G. W. Brown is recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy.

Mrs. Peyton Brown has recovered from an illness at Passavant hospital and has returned to her home in Pleasant Plains.

Miss Rose Edwards of the force at the store of F. J. Waddell & Co. is detained at home by illness.

Fred Parr has received a letter from his brother George stating that the writer is able to be up and dressed and hope an operation will be necessary.

Hassell Hopper is seriously ill at his home on South Diamond street.

Mrs. Alice Early of 565 Sharp street, who has been very ill, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. J. E. Rose of 330 West North street has recovered from an illness of several days.

Orville Adkinson has been confined to his bed the past week with an attack of the gripe.

The venerable J. F. Neill of Arcadia is reported critically ill. Mr. Neill is over 80 years of age. He attended a meeting of the Odd Fellows in Arcadia recently, and was then rather weak and since then has collapsed.

H. J. & L. M. SMITH
Will hold their
ANNUAL SPRING OPENING
Thursday, March 15
and a most cordial invitation is extended to the public to be with them on that date.

Says Ground is in Good Shape.

Edward Leach of Scott county was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Leach said he put in oats Friday and found the ground in excellent condition, the frost being out about eight inches down.

Oliver Angelo of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

EVENINGS AT HOME.

I sit me down at close of day, to read a book by Bertha Clay, or Laura Libbey's worst; when wearied by the daily grind, for books that soothe the jaded mind I have a mighty thirst. So when I sit me down to read, I say, "Now I'll have peace indeed, and comfort six eels wide; I'll revel in the printed page, absorbing in the thoughts of hard and sure, and let the glad hours slide." But ere I've turned a dozen leaves, I'm thinking how the thief and eaves, demand the tinner's care and how the carpenter must come, to fix the door that's out of plumb, and mend the cellar stair. I think about the coming spring, when wife and girl's will once more sing their song of Easter hats; I think of seeds that multiply the beans and marrowfat. I think of bills that I must pay when comes the next collection day, I think of them and sigh; I think of how the price ascends on all the needed odds and ends, on reinment, shoes and pie. My book has fallen to the floor; I cannot read it any more; my thoughts of far astray; I do not care for idle tales when I must raise the price of nails and gasoline and hay.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

March 11, 1842—Notice in the Sangamo Journal of the completion of the Northern Cross Railroad from Springfield to Meredosia. Railroad has been completed for a couple of weeks, cars running thru the whole line.

Elliott State Bank

Statement of resources at close of business,
March 3, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans	\$ 793,785.96
Bonds and Securities	178,974.95
Overdrafts	2,858.44
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	32,500.00
Cash and Exchange	424,026.62
	\$1,432,145.97

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 150,000.00
Undivided Profits	24,570.33
Deposits	1,257,575.64
	\$1,432,145.97

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MORTUARY

Wawne.

Death came to "Uncle" Charles Wawne this (Sunday) morning at 12:25 o'clock after an illness of pneumonia about a week in duration. Deceased was one of the most highly respected citizens of Franklin. He is survived by two sons, one residing in Montana and William Wawne of Franklin, with whom he made his home. Deceased was a member of the Masonic order and had gained much proficiency in the rites of Masonry.

Notice of the funeral and a fuller obituary will be given later.

Johnson.

C. C. Johnson died recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Ferguson in Beardstown. Mr. Johnson was born, Oct. 20, 1848, near Lynville and followed the occupation of a farmer until time came for him to retire. He was married Dec. 15, 1875 to Miss LaVina Nichols of Cumberland county. He is survived by three daughters, Nellie, Mrs. Albert Ferguson, Beardstown; Dora, Mrs. Olive Winger of Beardstown; Rena, Mrs. Frank Duncan of Chicago, and one son, William of Montana. He also leaves three brothers, Robert of Quincy, J. P. of Kansas, Isaac of Jacksonville; three sisters, Mrs. S. E. Moore and Mrs. Ellen Edwards of Jacksonville, Mrs. Emily Hadley of Willow Hill, Ill.

Mr. Johnson was widely known and respected in the west part of the county where the greater part of his life was spent.

Starveant.

Erskin Starveant, little son of Mrs. Dan Maloney of Allen avenue passed away Saturday night at 11 o'clock after a brief illness of pneumonia. Deceased was born in Murfreesboro June 24, 1911, but the greater part of his life has been spent in this city.

Besides his mother, the boy is survived by four sisters and two brothers, all of this city.

The remains will be taken to Manchester Monday morning at 10:33 o'clock and the funeral will be held from the M. E. church there at 1 o'clock. Interment will be made in Manchester cemetery.

SPECIAL TODAY

Fresh strawberry sundaes
and puffs today at Merrigan's.

PARTITION SUIT.

A partition suit has been filed by Attorney Jesse Peckles on behalf of Mary A. Bouillon et al., directed against Hattie J. Sims et al. The land in question is 60 acres in 31-13-8, belonging to the Rouland estate. When Mr. Rouland died the property was left to his wife for life with the direction that at her death the land would be divided among Mary A. Bouillon, Ollie Rouland, W. P. Rouland, Ezra Rouland and Martha E. Hamm. It is the desire to divide the estate among these legatees or their heirs that the present proceeding has been brought.

PUBLIC SALE

Tuesday, March 13th at ten a. m. E. M. Harman will sell at the J. C. Fairbank place a mile south of Concord 20 head of good horses and colts, a 6 year old registered Morgan stallion, 26 head of cattle including a pure bred Hereford bull and some good cows, a lot of Jersey girls and brood sows with pigs by their sides, two pure bred Duroc boars, a gasoline engine and hay press, harness, binder, all kinds of farm implements, 2500 bushels corn, 600 bushels good oats, 10 or 15 tons baled hay and other property. Lunch served on grounds.

Richard Robertson of Sinclair made a business trip down to the city yesterday.

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Monday - Tuesday
MARCH 12th and 13th



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ADULTS 25c; CHILDREN 10c
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CITY AND COUNTY

Frank Hines of Sinclair made a trip down to the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Peters of Meritt were city shoppers yesterday. A. G. Wheeler of Roodhouse was in the city yesterday. Joseph Roark of Winchester was one of the city shoppers yesterday. John Ormond of Orleans was a business caller in the city yesterday. Elmer Smith of Grace Chapel region visited in the city yesterday.

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West Side Square

E. L. Billings of Beardstown spent Saturday in the city on business. C. L. James was here from Bloomington yesterday on business. H. C. Myers and son were in the city yesterday from Joy, Prairie. Claude Jewsbury of Lynnville paid the city a visit yesterday. Dewey Brockhouse of Meredosia was a city caller yesterday. Mrs. Edgar Cole of Franklin was a city shopper yesterday. Colds are certain with spring's variable weather. GILBERT'S Cold Tablets give quick relief. George Craig of Woodson was a visitor in the city yesterday. J. W. Hall of Virginia made a business trip to the city yesterday. Fred Ruyke of Roodhouse was in the city yesterday. A. A. Hart of Waverly was among Saturday visitors in the city. Miss Minnie Brockhouse was in the city yesterday from Chapin. Miss Lena Lonergan of Murrayville was a city visitor Saturday. Mrs. Ernest Logue of Virginia was a visitor here yesterday. Mrs. John Halpin of Alton was a visitor in the city Saturday. John Werrish helped represent Chapin in the city yesterday. Miss Helen Self visited yesterday with friends in Springfield. Select your piano from J. Bart Johnson's ad on page 12. William Obert of Woodson called on city people yesterday. Andrew Johnson of Alexander was a city caller yesterday. Frank Robertson of Manchester was a city caller yesterday. Charles Watred of Alexander was among the city's callers yesterday. Archie Hoagland of Pisgah precinct called in the city yesterday. Roy Robson of Sinclair made his city friends a visit yesterday. D. K. McCarty of Litterberry made a business trip to the city yesterday. Mrs. Bertha Masters Miller and husband have arrived in the city and expect to remain here for some time. C. E. Stewart of Springfield was numbered among the Saturday business visitors in the city.

Miss Nannie Campbell of Murrayville was visiting friends in the city yesterday. R. M. Logan of Greenville was here Saturday looking after business matters. Wilbur Hembrough of East St. Louis spent Saturday in the city visiting relatives. Otto Kramer of Peoria was attending to business matters in the city yesterday. Martin Tholen of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his father, George Tholen on West Lafayette avenue. Samuel Story of the south part of the county called in the city yesterday. W. E. Beddingford of the region of Concord was a traveler to the city yesterday. Mrs. Anna B. Coultas of Winchester was one of the city shoppers yesterday. R. H. Hudelson of Columbia, Mo., is in the city for a few days looking after business matters. Lee F. Norton of Timewell was called to the city on business Saturday. Gold Fish Free, Monday, Lulu-Davis, north side square.

J. V. Porter of Roodhouse was called to the city on business yesterday. Alfred Anderson of Chapin made a business trip to the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eck and son were up to the city yesterday from Alexander. Edward McGinnis, employed in Decatur is spending Sunday with home folks in Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn of the Buckhorn neighborhood were city shoppers yesterday. Oliver Dickinson of the west part of the county was a city caller yesterday. John Hickman of the Ebenezer neighborhood was a caller on city people yesterday. Miss Sylvia Clark of Murrayville was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday. Mrs. John Wilson of the vicinity of the Point was a city visitor yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre of the vicinity of Lynnville visited in the city yesterday. You will find GILBERT'S CORN CURE a quick and certain remedy. Ask our customers. E. T. Story of Nortonville was among the callers in the city yesterday. J. M. Finch of Chapin had business needing his attention in the city yesterday. William Fisher of Chapin was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Luke Maloney and Charles Saxton were up to the city from Manchester yesterday. Charles Hermas of Alexander was transacting business a few hours in the city yesterday. Alexander Story, Walter Kitchen and James Kitchen were city arrivals yesterday from Murrayville. Ray and Samuel Henry were arrivals in the city from Woodson yesterday. R. A. Harris of Pisgah precinct was a caller on city people yesterday. R. A. Harris of Pisgah precinct was a caller on city people yesterday. A. G. Brockhouse was among Saturday visitors in the city from Chapin.

The best fresh bulk garden seed. Also seed tape, at Brady Bros. Mr. and Mrs. John Barry of the vicinity of Merritt were city shoppers yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Murgatroyd of the north part of the county were city shoppers yesterday. Mrs. John Akers of Manchester was a visitor with city friends yesterday. Mrs. Samuel Henry of Woodson was added to the list of city callers yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Beddingford of Joy Prairie were in the city Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ogle were in the city from the neighborhood of Grace Chapel yesterday. Miss Ethel Smith, teacher in the schools of Murrayville, is spending the day with home folk in the city. Miss Lena Stagg left for Chicago last night to attend a dressmakers convention. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Roberts of Franklin were city visitors yesterday. Mrs. W. J. Wyatt of Franklin was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday. Mrs. Carl Martin of the Ebenezer neighborhood was in the city yesterday. For speedy relief try GILBERT'S CORN CURE. A guaranteed remedy. Charles P. Gillett was in Pike county yesterday for a visit to his farm near Barry.

Miss Agnes Guerne of Galesburg was among the Saturday visitors in the city. Mrs. Sarah Wyatt of Franklin was among the out of town visitors in the city Saturday. Miss Sarah Jane Megginsin of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday. Miss Hazel Crain of the south part of the county is visiting Jacksonville friends. Thomas McGinnis and family were city arrivals from Meredosia yesterday. J. H. Hopper of Greenfield was attending to affairs in the city yesterday. Misses Martha and Mary Brockhouse of the west part of the county were city shoppers yesterday. Margaret Moloney of Manchester was in the city yesterday for consultation regarding her eyes. W. L. Stubblefield of Little Indian made a business trip to the city yesterday. Mrs. J. W. Proctor of Carthage was attending to city shopping yesterday. John Mandeville of the southwest part of the county is visiting friends in Springfield. George Hobbs of Rount College is enjoying a Sunday visit with home folks in Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hadden of Joy Prairie visited yesterday with Mrs. Hadden's mother, Mrs. Leannah Hayden on West College avenue. Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart and daughter Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Coultas were in the city Saturday from Winchester. Miss Kittie Ferry is again at her post in the ready to wear department of J. Herman's store after a vacation of a few weeks. Miss Daisy Rayhell left yesterday morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Peyton Brown, and niece, Mrs. Gleta Huber of Pleasant Plains. Miss Ruth Peters and Miss Georgia Melton are spending the day with relatives of Miss Melton in Merritt. Misses Mabelle and Rena Rexroat of the Woman's College are enjoying a Sunday visit with home friends in Virginia. Mrs. Elmer Wiggins of Seattle, Wash., was in the city Saturday and left in the afternoon for Litchfield to visit friends. Mrs. J. P. Brown of East College avenue returned Saturday from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Duncan in Peoria.

When you want garden seed go to the seed store. Brady Bros. John Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. George Foster and Miss Lucille Mason were in the city from Alexander yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Chappel, Miss Carrie, Ada and Anna Bruening were city arrivals yesterday from Meredosia. Barry and Roy Heaton, Arthur Stainforth, John Stevenson and George Sturdy were city arrivals from Lynnville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Watkins of Petersburg were in the city Friday night to attend the performance of the Chimes of Normandy at the Grand. Mr. Watkins is a graduate of Illinois college in the class of '87 and his son Paul is now a student at Illinois and was one of the principals in the opera.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett White of Des Moines, Iowa, have been visiting relatives and friends in this city the past week. Mr. White is the son of James B. White of 183 South Grand avenue. He also attended the undertakers' booster meeting here Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, having been engaged in that business in Des Moines for the past three years.

SPECIAL TODAY
Fresh strawberry sundaes and puffs today at Merrigan's.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with W. D. Wood. Subject, "Mr. Britling sees It Through." Leader, Thomas Worthington.

The Opportunity Sunday school class of Grace M. E. church taught by Mrs. Mabee will hold its regular meeting Monday evening at Mrs. W. B. Rogers', 1051 W. College avenue.

The Wednesday Class will meet at the Woman's College.

The Trinity Guild will meet at the Parish Hall Tuesday at 1:30. The Missionary Society of State Street Church will hold its annual meeting at the residence of Mrs. Charles A. Barnes, 843 West State street Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The March Meeting of the Board of Free Kindergarten will be held Monday, March 12th at 3 P. M. at the Public Library.

The Social Meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of Centenary church will be held at the home of Mrs. T. B. Fozzard, 502 East College avenue, Thursday, March 15th at 2:30. The following ladies will be hostesses: Mrs. Frank Kitner, Mrs. Julia Goodrick, Mrs. Mary Crouch, Mrs. Alex Patterson, Mrs. C. F. Keehmer, Mrs. Shelburn, Mrs. Weatherford, and Mrs. William Becker.

The Fortnightly Club will meet Thursday afternoon March 15th at 4 o'clock at the Public Library. Mrs. Vaughn will have a paper on "James Whitcomb Riley."

The Chaminade Musical Club will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Homer Potter, 112 Park St., at 2:30 o'clock. A program from the works of noted English composers will be given.

The Pastors' Aid society of First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the church parlors.

The Fine Point club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. T. Capps of 504 North Church street.

The Woman's Home missionary society of Centenary church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Gossop of South East street instead of Mrs. T. H. Rapp as previously announced.

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WILL FIX DATE FOR UNION SERVICE

The time and place of holding the first meeting of the recently formed Jacksonville union of Young People's societies will be fixed at a meeting of the program committee, called for this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. by the president, Miss Lucille Allison, of Central Christian church. John Schofield of the Baptist church is vice president of the organization and Vincent Vieira of Northminster is secretary-treasurer.

COLLEGE HEAD HERE

Dr. John W. Millon, president of Hardin college at Mexico, Mo., was in the city Saturday and inspected the plant of Illinois Woman's college.

ENTERTAINED CLUB

Mrs. Fred DeFries, 816 Allen avenue, entertained recently for members of the Boosters' club. A social hour refreshments were served and an excellent time was enjoyed by all.

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"THE LOST SILK HAT"

WAS INTERESTING PLAY

"The Lost Silk Hat" was the title of an interesting play, given Saturday evening by the Dramatic club of Illinois Woman's College, with an audience present of I. W. C. students and invited guests. The play was well done, telling in a striking way of "the murder of romance" which did not succeed, the estranged couple smoothing over their difficulties

and "living happily ever after."

Miss Mary McGhee was the hero, Miss Avonne Jameson, the policeman; Miss Alma Piersol the plumb-er who refused to rescue the silk hat; Miss Lulu Prettyman was the poet and Miss Margaret Shively, the Dude.

After the play the audience ad-journed to the gymnasium, where the sophomores defeated the fresh-men in a basketball game 20 to 18.

BIRTH RECORD

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Madison of 312 Howe street are the proud par-ents of a baby daughter, born Sat-urday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Allmon of Omaha, Neb., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rose of 930 West North street. Mr. and Mrs. Allmon came unexpectedly and their visit is a pleasant surprise.

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CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MARCH 5, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,403,214.50
Overdrafts Secured and Unsecured	8,659.30
United States Bonds to Secure Circulation	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, Etc.	821,247.64
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48
Other Real Estate	2,281.13

Cash

Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	\$ 19,737.40
Due from State Banks and Bankers	57,992.42
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	110,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	683,546.57
Checks and Other Cash Items	54,554.19
Notes of Other National Banks	19,765.00
Nicks and Cents	591.21
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	127,723.25
Legal Tender Notes	8,810.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	10,000.00
Total	\$3,547,449.09

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profits Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	119,758.06
National Bank Notes Outstanding	200,000.00
Deposits	
Due to Other National Banks	\$ 39,098.63
Due State Banks and Bankers	81,478.57
United States Deposits	15,000.00
Postal Savings	5,489.72
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	2,292,032.86
Time Certificates of Deposit	544,591.25
Total	\$3,547,449.09

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County of Morgan,

I, O. F. Buffe, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. F. BUFFE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1917.

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PROGRAM FOR THIS WEEK

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TUESDAY

"The Indian's Lament"

Featuring Marie Walcamp, Noble Johnson, Lee Hill. A big drama of the plains—Cow Boys, Indians and Mexicans.

WEDNESDAY

BLUEBIRD PHOTOPLAY

—Presents—

'The Man Who Took a Chance'

Featuring Franklyn Farnum and Agnes Vernon. The story of living on love and laughs. If you don't believe in love at first sight this play will convert you. "See it."

THURSDAY

"Losing Winner"

Featuring Carter de Haven, Flora Parker de Haven, M. K. Wilson and Jessie Arnold. A comedy drama that is a big laugh all the way through.

FRIDAY

Eleventh Episode

"The Purple Mask"

Featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford. Also "THE FOURTH WITNESS"

Featuring Louise Lovely, Lee Hill. A society drama with the prettiest girl in the film world in it.

SATURDAY

"John Osborne's Triumph"

Featuring Murdock MacQuarrie, Edna Payne. A big drama with a lesson in it. Also a big comedy

"MULE MATES"

Featuring Gale Henry.

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WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Returning to the attack Saturday, after a rest of several days, British troops in the Ancre region of France made another dent in the German defenses. Advancing on a three mile front the British took the village of Fries and its neighboring works, the British headquarters statement says. Fries, which lies between Warlencourt and Pateux-au-Mont and west of Bapaume, has been the center of a slight curve in the British line and evidently the line has been straightened out somewhat by Saturday's attack. More than 100 Germans were taken prisoner and fifteen machine guns and four trench mortars were captured. The British casualties are reported to have been slight.

The latest official statement from Berlin says outposts engagements occurred in the Ancre sector and reports hazy weather.

While Berlin records a revival of fighting activity in the Champagne, the latest statement from Paris says there has been no infantry fighting in that region. The artillery activity however is said to have been spirited.

The British forces that drove the Turks from Kut-el-Amara have at last come in contact with a new Turkish line on the Djalila river, six miles below Bagdad, at which point, apparently, the Turks have chosen to defend that ancient city. General Maude, the commander of the British forces in Mesopotamia, has announced that the Turks are holding the new line in some strength and that his troops are engaging them.

The advance of the Russian forces in Western Persia, with the capture of the town of Senne and Turkish positions nearby, have brought the troops of the Russian emperor within twenty five miles of the upper part of the Djalila river, near the mouth of which stream the British are attacking the Turks.

On the Rumanian front the Russians are continuing their efforts to regain the heights northwest of Oena recently taken from them by the Germans.

The Norwegian Steamer Storstad, a Belgian relief ship of 6,280 tons with one American on board has been sunk by a submarine.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

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FORSEE ABANDONMENT OF BI-PARTISAN PLAN

Schall States He Will Not be a Party to an Independent Movement Which Would Block Important Legislation.

Washington, March 10.—The possibility of a coalition organization agreement between Democrats and Republicans in the incoming house of representatives was considerably lessened today in the opinion of many members by the announcement of Representative Schall, Progressive of Minnesota, one of the five so-called independents, that he would not be a party to an independent movement which would block important legislation. As the bipartisan plan originally was broached only with the view of defeating a deadlock by the refusal of the independents to support either a Republican or a Democrat for speaker leaders of both parties tonight foresaw abandonment of the movement. They predicted Mr. Schall's withdrawal from the independents probably would be followed quickly by others and that before the balloting for speaker had proceeded far all five of them would be voting with the old parties.

Republicans generally accepted the development as meaning an additional vote for Representative Mann for speaker after the first few ballots are cast. Representative Schall spoke in behalf of the Republican national ticket in the last election.

DEATH BED CONFESSION CLEARS PARDONED MAN

COLUMBIA Miss., March 10.—A deathbed confession by Joseph Beard, a farmer, announced by the sheriff's office cleared of suspicion, William Purvis, who 25 years ago escaped death by hanging after conviction for murder only because the noose about his neck slipped when the scaffold trap was sprung.

Purvis was found guilty of killing from ambush William Buckley. When he fell from the scaffold unharmed after the rope slipped spectators thought it intervention of Providence and induced the authorities to put him back in jail. An appeal to the governor brought a commutation of sentence. Several years later Purvis was pardoned. He now lives in Lamar county.

Beard, dying of pneumonia, confessed Sunday that he and two other men killed Buckley. The sheriff said he knew where to locate the others but declined to say whether action would be started against them.

TAKE PRISONERS FROM CHICAGO TO PEORIA

CHICAGO, March 10.—Edwin DeLong, alias Edwin Kenneth, wanted in Peoria for alleged forgery of checks was taken to Peoria tonight after he was arrested.

Raymond Marr, alias Rob McKnight of Decatur, Ill., Joseph Wilson, William Kearns and Elmer Zimmer of Chicago, were taken to Peoria tonight for examination in connection with recent automobile robberies there. The men were arrested Friday night in an automobile stolen in Hanna City, Ill. They had two revolvers but said they took the car for a pleasure trip.

REPRESENTATIVE SULLOWAY DIES

Washington, March 10.—Representative Cyrus Adams Sulloway, the veteran member of congress from the New Hampshire district, died here late tonight of pneumonia, aged 78 years.

TO HOLD ELECTIONS IN MEXICO TODAY

Seems Little Doubt that General Carranza Will be Elected President Almost Unanimously.

Mexico City, March 10.—Preparations were completed today for the holding tomorrow throughout Mexico of presidential and congressional elections, the first to be held since July, 1914. There is little doubt that General Venustiano Carranza will be elected president almost unanimously.

The results of the elections of the members of the house however, may not be known for some time, owing to the large number of candidates.

There are 640 candidates for the places of twelve deputies and twelve alternates from the federal district alone. Among them is Miss Hermina Galindo, who has made a strong campaign in the first districts.

Ballots have been distributed and the registration of voters has been completed. All the saloons were closed today and will remain closed tomorrow. Strict orders have been issued against the use of troops in interfering with the voting.

The list of candidates for seats in the senate is not as large as that of the candidates for the house, but in many states there are a half dozen aspirants for two seats.

PUBLIC SALE.

Of twenty head of horses, mules, cattle and farm implements, Wednesday, March 14th, one and one-half miles southeast of Woodson. Fred and Samuel Henry.

RE-OPEN PORT OF SANTIAGO, CUBA

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The port of Santiago, Cuba, closed to navigation during the rebel occupation of the city has been re-opened. States department despatches today said that the harbor has been swept and found free of mines, and that a Cuban warship was patrolling the waters.

The advice made no mention of further fighting on the outskirts of the city between rebels and government troops. Officials assumed in the absence of more definite information that the 500 American marines and bluejackets patrolling the city to protect foreign life and property had not been drawn into the fighting.

WOMEN NOW IN SERVICE OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

Hundreds Replace Men in France—All Classes of Society Represented by Workers, Some of Whom Serve Gratuitously.

Paris, March. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Three thousand women volunteers are now in the service of the national defense. The Associated Press is informed by Madame Emile Boutroux, wife of the eminent French philosopher and cousin of President Poincaré. Madame Boutroux presides the "Women's Volunteer Enrolling Committee," besides directing the auxiliary hospital installed in the establishment of the Thiers Foundation for original research.

"Hundreds of our volunteers are replacing men in clerical positions," she said. "Others including many society women, are looking after the children of women munitions workers. Little by little our volunteers are assuming every different kind of auxiliary service women are capable of doing."

"Several different 'crews' of women volunteers have been helping organize the distribution of coal in Paris during the severe weather. "At Saint Etienne our volunteers are supervising the distribution of sugar cards, releasing just so many men for military service."

"We have ready at all times what we call 'flying crews' that are at the disposition of the different departments of public administration for new or urgent service anywhere."

"Permanent crews are being formed to establish new kindergartens in populous quarters where reside many mothers who are engaged in making shells or cartridges during the day and have no one to look after their children. Others are organizing canteens near munitions factories for the accommodation of women workers."

Women from all classes of society are enrolled by this committee; those in easy circumstances working gratuitously, others for such pay as may be given. The main object, however, is to enlist women who have never worked before, increasing the number of hands available for mechanical and other tasks and increasing the producing capacity of the country.

STATES GERMANS ARE ON EDGE OF STARVATION

NEW YORK, March 10.—Brig. Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn, president of the army war college, who until recently was the American military attaché at Berlin declared in an address here tonight at the annual dinner of the alumni of West Point that "the German people are on the edge of starvation" and "Germany is prepared to entertain terms of peace and to go a long way to get them."

JOHN B. LENNON ILL. Bloomington, Ill., March 10.—Hon. John B. Lennon, labor leader and treasurer of the American Federation of Labor is in a critical condition in a local hospital, following an operation a week ago.

CURRENCY SHORTAGE IS PROBLEM.

Calcutta, Jan.—The pressing financial and commercial problem in India and neighboring countries is the shortage of currency. "Ceylon is making an effort to provide the needed 'small money' by the issue of paper money of denominations as low as two rupees (about 6 cents), as compared with the five rupee note, which is the lowest denomination of paper money in India."

FUNERALS

Bonds

Funeral services for John R. Bonds were held Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock at the Franklin Methodist church, in charge of the Rev. W. E. Keenan, assisted by the Rev. J. N. Jerman. Music was furnished by a choir, consisting of Mrs. Jerman, Miss Eunice Olinger, Miss Dorothy Scott, Miss Mae Cross, Miss Beatrice Anderson, Miss Ruth Tulpin, Mr. Keenan and Mr. Jerman. Miss May Boulware was at the organ.

At the cemetery the Franklin lodge of Odd Fellows was in charge, Mr. Jerman serving as chaplain and W. N. Luttrell as noble grand. The active bearers were J. L. Hill, John Bland, Charles Hart, George Jolly, Claude Jolly and John Wawne. The honorary bearers were Abe Seymour, Cebbron Daugherty, Louis Gottschall, LaFayette Clayton, L. A. Caldwell and John Tranbarger.

Nunes

The funeral of Elmer Nunes was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence, 929 Freedman street, in charge of the Rev. W. E. Spooner, pastor of Northminster church. Music was furnished by Mrs. J. A. A. Scott and Mrs. Henry Vieira.

The burial was made in Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were A. P. Vasconcellos, J. F. Mendonca, John Vieira, Manuel Vieira, John Martin and Manuel Gouveia.

Thompson.

Funeral services for William Thompson were held from the family residence, 1334 South East street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. E. L. Fletcher, pastor of Centenary church. Music was furnished by Mrs. Wallace Brockman, Miss Cora Graham, A. C. Metcalf and Asa M. Robinson. The flowers were cared for by the Misses Thompson, Corrington and Weis. Burial was in Antioch cemetery. At the grave the funeral service of the Modern Woodman was carried out in charge of Camp 912 with Vincent Vieira as Venerable Counsel and E. H. Rohlfman as Advisor. The bearers were: G. V. Skinner, Newton Angel, John N. Joaquin, Adam Ehrigott, C. R. Knollenberg and Fred Goes.

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GOVERNOR JOHNSON DENIES REPORT

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 10.—Conjectural reports emanating from Sacramento today that Senator-elect Hiram Johnson was planning to relinquish his seat in the United States senate in favor of Chester H. Rowell of Fresno, national Republican committeeman, and to retain his present post as governor, brought forth a shower of denials today.

The governor personally issued a statement that the report was "wholly and absolutely false." Discovering that nation-wide credence had been given the report, Governor Johnson gave out another statement thru his secretaries late today repeating that it was all a plot fabricated by his political enemies and claiming that proof of the plot had been found.

DISMISS INDICTMENT.

East St. Louis, Ill., March 10.—An indictment charging Zakar Bogosian with the murder of Alphonse Magarian three year old whose headless body was found in the city dump last fall was dismissed in the city court today. Bogosian was released.

PEORIA GETS CONVENTION.

Peoria, Ill., March 10.—The 1918 convention of the Illinois Poultry and Egg Shippers' association will convene in Peoria, according to a decision reached at the 1917 convention which adjourned at Decatur last night, it became known here today.



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SUGGEST DIFFERENT PARKING PLACE PLAN

Spaces Near Car Tracks Would Leave Clear Way for Travel Near Store Entrances

Reference is made on another page to the need that exists for increased parking space for automobiles about the public square. In addition to this proposal a number of merchants are urging the project of changing the parking system now followed. Their suggestion is the placing of cars adjoining the curb stone along the pavement; that spaces should be marked out close to the street car tracks where cars could be placed, and left indefinitely. This plan would be of advantage to merchants and car drivers.

As it is now, with cars parked all along the pavement curb it is not possible to walk up near the entrance of any store. The plan of placing cars must walk in front of a between others as they approach the sidewalk. This plan of marking off spaces near the center of the square instead of having cars parked along the side walk is followed in a number of cities and works out to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. The plan would not increase parking space but would relieve the congestion of automobile traffic. This question, as well as the matter of additional parking space will doubtless be given early consideration.

33RD BUICK SOLD TO LLOYD LUKEMAN

Howard Zahn Saturday sold the 33rd Buick to Lloyd Lukeman residing southeast of the city.

WHITE HALL COUPLE HAVE GOLDEN WEDDING

Many Friends Gathered at Home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deaton Near White Hall—Visitors Present from This City.

Mrs. Saradilla Wannamaker of this city and Misses Pamela and Louise Deaton have returned from White Hall where they attended the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deaton. The celebration was one of the largest held in the White Hall community during the recent years, more than eighty being present, including many visitors from a distance. An elegant dinner was served at noon. A noteworthy feature of the table decorations were clusters of white and yellow flowers, sent by a relative of the pair in San Pedro, Cal.

In addition to those from Jacksonville visitors from a distance included:

George Embley, Mr. and Mrs. George Bandy, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Embley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McPherson, Harvey McPherson, James E. Lanham, Fred Lanham, Harry Lanham, Miss Lois Lanham, all of Jerseyville; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bandy, Miss Lela Bandy, Miss Leah Mae Bandy, Miss Mildred Bandy, George E. Bandy, all of Carrollton; Mr. and Mrs. George Deaton, Hillview; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Deaton, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Trippen, Walkerville; Mrs. Ida Fraley, Auburn.



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WILL MAKE PLANS FOR BABY WEEK

At a meeting to be held at the public library tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock plans will be made for a co-operative effort by which it is hoped that "baby week" will become a permanent organization for the community. Reports will be heard from a committee appointed at a preliminary meeting held recently, and future action will be determined upon.

It is the expectation that the Woman's club, the Ministerial association, the Free Kindergarten board, the Salvation army, doctors and nurses and all others interested in the subject will unite in the effort to be put forth in this worthy cause. It is hoped that the attendance at this meeting will be large and that the interest shown will be such that the success of the project will be assured.

EVERYTHING NEW, EVERYTHING UP TO DATE, EVERYTHING GREASONABLE AT HERMAN'S GRAND SPRING OPENING THURS. DAY, MARCH 15TH.

PROBATE COURT.

In the guardianship of Howard Bowser, report was approved.

In the estate of Thomas McLamar the appraisement bill was approved.

In the estate of Charles Lazenby, the executor was declared closed and the executor discharged.

In the estate of Charles E. Henry, the appraisement bill was approved and consent of the widow filed, fixing her award at \$1,000.

In the estate of W. H. Paschall, the inventory was approved.

In the state of Susan Rees, letters of administration were ordered to issue to John Rees and the bond fixed at \$100.

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Guthrie Patterson, veteran school teacher at Athensville, called on city friends yesterday. Mr. Patterson has more than a quarter of a century as teacher to his credit.

AMERICAN PAINTING IS COMING TO ITS OWN

Miss Nellie A. Knopf, herself an artist of Original Attainment, Tells Woman's Club How European Tradition is Being Outgrown.

"The day of a true American art is dawning. The imitation of European models is, among artists, the exception rather than the rule. For the past decade there has been less and less of American study abroad. American painting of the future will be essentially a development of that art as applied to landscape."

Art Development in America. Such thoughts, gleaned Saturday afternoon from the address of Miss Nellie A. Knopf to members of the Jacksonville Woman's club, assembled at the Woman's college for an American art program—such words brought to the mind of the least initiated a warmth of "artistic patriotism." Each was made to realize that America has already developed an art of painting which stands distinct and independent, four-square against all winds of criticism.

After the call to order by the president and reading of the minutes of the February meeting, the gathering was turned over to Miss Mary Wadsworth who introduced Miss Knopf in behalf of the art committee of the Woman's Club. Miss Wadsworth, chairman of the committee, was assisted in the arrangement of the program by Miss Anne W. Jackson and Miss Courtney Crouch. The topic announced by Miss Knopf was "The History of American Painting." After the lecture, given in the old chapel, the club members adjourned to the society halls where they inspected the third annual exhibit of paintings, now open to the public and in many respects the most noteworthy exhibit of its kind yet seen in the city.

Traced Story from Colonial Days. Miss Knopf traced American painting from the Colonial days of Stuart, Copley and Benjamin West, all followers of the English Gainsborough school and all artists who copied British masters closely. She continued with explanation of the Hudson river school, the adherents of which worked during the first half of the nineteenth century and gave evidence of excellence along the line of original landscape work. F. E. Church and Bierstadt were members of this school and chief among artists of the period was George Inness.

A return to portraiture in the 50's produced little to commend. The civil war put a stop to artistic activity and for a time at least there is little to record.

Especially interesting was Miss Knopf's delineation of the later steps in American art, when the luminarists or French impressionists, with their pointillist work and deliberate juxtaposing of complementary shades broke away from the photographic realism of earlier periods, emphasized the importance of the individuality of the artist and secured the accurate representation of moods and moments rather than the setting forth merely of static values and changeless minutiae.

The American Paintings. With regard to the college exhibit of American paintings Miss Knopf explained:

"Noteworthy—as you enter the room is a large snow scene called 'Melting Snow,' by Pohn F. Carlson. It is wonderfully expressive of a winter day with thaw in the air—it is so full of atmosphere that one can almost feel the quality of the air itself. At the left of the Carlson hangs a charming small picture, painted with the broken color of the impressionists, and this picture, too, is very expressive of nature in one of its most enticing moods."

"There is a stunning decorative canvas by Byron Marlow called 'Apples,' most charming in line and distribution of color."

"The Bathing pool" by Ernest Lawson fairly scintillates with the forest atmosphere—and Frank Swift Chases' "November Hills" is a canvas of such poetry as to leave an indelible impression on one's mind, of purple hills and richly hued trees are bathed in the bloom of autumn color."

There is a very striking picture by Hayley Lever, one of our modern young painters, of remarkable design and marvelous color quality. It speaks for the optimism and outlook of American painting in the next decade.

"Of the older men who belong to the tonalists, there are pictures by Birge Harrison, Chas. Warren Eaton and Bruce Crane."

"There are a number of unusual portraits—one by that most prominent of our women painters—Lydia Field Emmett, a remarkably sympathetic interpretation called 'My Mother' by Romanovsky; and a portrait of the children of Kenyon Cox, by Mrs. Kenyon Cox, that it one of the most enticing pictures in the exhibit. One is drawn back to it again and again and fascinated by the charm of the two children."

"There are two marines—one by Wm. Ritschel, and a very unusual one by Chauncey Ryder, whose 'Pack Monadnock' had so many admirers in last year's exhibition. There are many more pictures equally attractive and the Woman's College certainly has brought a big opportunity to Jacksonville in bringing these pictures, which are expressive of a very moving force—that of Our School of American Painting."

H. J. & L. M. SMITH Will hold their ANNUAL SPRING OPENING Thursday, March 15 and a most cordial invitation is extended to the public to be with them on that date.

Miss Edith Jordan of St. Louis is visiting friends in the city. Miss Jordan, who is a former city resident, now has employment in Chicago.

COMMITTEE ARRANGING FOR I. C. ALUMNI MEETING

The committee in charge of the Illinois college alumni meeting Tuesday evening March 20 have preparations for the event well in hand and present indications point to a very successful gathering of alumni and former students of the college and alumnae and former students of the Academy, Ganaeum and Conservatory of Music. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock at Academy hall. President

Rammelkamp will give his lecture on the history of the college and after this the company will enjoy a social hour, with the serving of refreshments.

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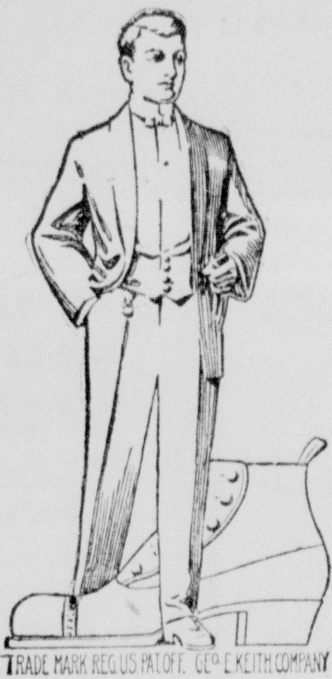
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MRS. FRANKENBERG'S WILL FILED FOR PROBATE

Return From Trust Fund for One Daughter and Remainder of Estate to the Other.

Saturday afternoon the will of the late Mrs. Mary R. Frankenberg was filed for probate in the office of the county clerk. Mrs. Frankenberg died on the will January 29, 1917, in the presence of John M. Butler, G. S. Buhrman and Sarah A. Rexroat. By the terms of the will the executrix is directed to establish a trust fund of \$10,000 which will be invested and administered by a brother of the deceased, Zachariah Rexroat. The income from this sum is to be paid a six months period to Frances M. Immenga, daughter of the deceased. At her death the principal sum is to go to her children then living if they are not children of Henry Immenga. The testatrix expressed the wish that children of Mr. Immenga should not share in the estate in any way.

The remaining property of every kind is bequeathed to Sarah Katherine Frankenberg, daughter of the deceased, and she is to serve as executrix with the bond.

SPECIAL TODAY

Fresh strawberry sundaes and puffs today at Merrigan's.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for Mrs. Earl Poland will be held from the residence of William Mikesell, 919 South Clay avenue Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Services will be in charge of the Rev. J. O. Raines of White Hall and burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

FRANKLIN REBEKAHS HOLD INSTALLATION

Odd Fellows and Their Families are Guests at Ceremonial, Which is Followed by Banquet

Very enjoyable was the ceremonial held Friday evening by Franklin Rebekah lodge, when officers were installed and the guests partook of a banquet.

Following are the officers installed: N. G.—Mrs. Sarah McLamar. V. G.—Miss Isola Brewer. Recording secretary—Miss Maude Anderson. Financial secretary—Mrs. Clara Hart.

Warden—Mrs. Magie Spires. Treasurer—Miss Edith Thurst. Conductor—Miss Hallie Armstrong. Inner guard—Miss Chattie Duncan. Outer guard—Miss Grace Armstrong.

R. S. N. G.—Mrs. Sallie Wyatt. L. S. N. G.—Miss Grace Hill. R. S. V. G.—Miss Eula Bland. L. S. V. G.—Miss Lou Duncan. Chaplain—Mrs. Katie Scott.

Gold Fish Free, Monday, Lulu-Davis, north side square.

PUBLIC SALE

Of plows, cultivators, harrows and other machinery and general merchandise, to discontinue certain lines and to reduce stock, on Thursday, March 22, at 1 P. M. The Arnold Farmers Elevator Co.

AN EXPERIENCED SALESLADY FOR OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT WANTED AT ONCE. J. HERMAN.

WOODS STOCK SALE BROUGHT MANY BUYERS

Large Number of Horses and Mules Found Ready Purchasers—Three Auctioneers Kept Busy—Sale Total \$15,000.

The great sale of horses and mules by J. W. Woods & Son was held yesterday afternoon as advertised and prices realized were fairly good. C. M. Strawn of Alexander, Jed Cox of Savage and Alvis Spencer of Scottville were the auctioneers; R. R. Stevenson and Frank Bubb were the clerks. Below are the sales, which totaled about \$15,000.

J. A. Hernes, 2 bay horses \$390.
John A. Cully, 2 sorrel mares, \$380.
H. Cook, 2 mares, \$340.
L. W. Thomas, Canton, a black mare, \$187.50.
John Stewart, Winchester, bay mare, \$165.
D. W. Thomas, a black mare, \$197.50.

John Moody, 2 mares, \$342.50.
C. G. Middleton, black mare, \$165.
A. Smith, 2 bay mares, \$285.
M. McGrackin, Murrayville, brown mare, \$115.
A. B. Houghton, 2 brown mares, \$202.50.
Thomas Barber, black mare, \$130.
J. Cherry, 2 black mares, \$260.
G. W. Wheeler, Sinclair, 2 brown mares, \$200.

A. B. Chapman, sorrel mare, \$167.50.
Geo. Wackerle, 2 bay mares, \$400.
J. Cherry, 2 bay mares, \$200.
Thomas Allen, brown mare, \$120.
Sam Bailey, 3 black mares, \$260.
A. B. Houghton, 2 black horses, \$305.

George Wheeler, bay mare, \$170.
A. B. Houghton, bay mare, \$127.50.
John Tompkins, bay mare, \$190.
J. Cherry, brown mare, \$125.
J. Cherry, bay mare, \$175.

Charles Bennett, grey mare, \$175.
W. L. Ledy, roan mare, \$50.
D. W. Thomas, Canton, sorrel mare, \$100.
W. P. Brown, 2 bay mares, \$300.
W. H. Fuller, bay mare, \$135.

A. Smith, bay mare, \$90.
D. W. Thomas, brown mare, \$75.
A. Neal, bay horse, \$75.
M. Nash, bay mare, \$182.75.
A. B. Houghton, bay mare, \$190.
D. W. Thomas, black mare, \$132.50.

R. H. Turner, Virginia, bay mare, \$105.
J. Cherry, black horse, \$115.
Doe Butler, brown mare, \$90.
E. Watkins, Chandlerville, brown horse, \$82.50.

W. H. Fuller, black horse, \$85.
P. J. Blackburn, grey horse, \$82.50.
W. Monase, black horse, \$90.
E. Watkins, black mare, \$70.

E. Watkins, grey mare and horse, \$185.
B. Gause, brown horse, \$67.50.
R. S. Wood, 2 brown horses, \$210.
J. Cherry, sorrel horse, \$90.

Mules.
A. B. Houghton, 2 brown mules, \$550.
B. Houghton, 2 brown mules, \$425.

A. J. Brubaker, Girard, 2 sorrel mules, \$395.
H. Chipman, Ipava, 2 bay mules, \$435.
R. S. Wood, 2 bay mules, \$405.

Jesse Decker, 2 sorrel mules, \$430.
John Faye, 2 black mules, \$362.50.
J. W. Ryman, Alexander, 2 brown mules, \$395.

H. Cook, 2 brown mules, \$175.
R. S. Wood, 2 brown mules, \$382.50.
Harry Plunket, Chandlerville, 2 brown mules, \$375.

A. B. Houghton, brown mule, \$190.
A. B. Houghton, brown mule, \$160.
Barney Hine, brown mule, \$60.

J. W. Cleary, brown mule, \$100.
Harry Cook, 2 brown mules, \$275.

KEEP YOUR PROMISE
Now's your chance to keep faith with your children that you may better fit them for an even chance with other children by buying a piano. See our add on page 12 of this issue.

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A PLACE OF DISAPPOINTMENTS.
The Elks club rooms or thereabouts is the busiest place in Jacksonville as well as the most disappointing one. From eight o'clock in the morning until ten at night no less than ten people and sometimes fifty are engaged in rehearsals for the Elks Jollies. A passerby is usually attracted by the catchy and strange music which escapes thru the windows of the club rooms. A loud, lively tune will start up on the piano, the voice of some director will be heard and then follows company of voices and lock stepping. The tune is so attractive that one hesitates in order to hear its finish but just as things are going fine another order is given and the music, voices and marching abruptly stops. In a few minutes everything starts over again, then stops and so on until one gives up and decides to see and hear the whole show in its finished state.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIRE SAY:
New spring pumps are now ready. You will profit financially by early buying.

ART ASSOCIATION.

The Jacksonville Art association will hold its March meeting Tuesday evening, March 13, at 7:30 o'clock at the Strawn Memorial building. The subject will be "Silhouettes," led by Miss Belinda Daniels, instructor in art at the School for the Deaf. It is hoped that members and friends interested in the subject will be present.

WORK AT MOOSEHEART IN THE MOVIES

Picture Will Be Shown at the Grand Wednesday

The local lodge of Moose has arranged for the coming of a great moving picture feature, "The Building of Our Nation," and "Life at Mooseheart," at the Grand Opera House next Wednesday afternoon and night. The purpose of this picture is to give the interesting story of the great philanthropy that the order of Moose has developed. Through the small weekly contributions from each of 500,000 men who comprise the membership of the order, it has been possible to establish the city or village of Mooseheart, thirty-five miles west of Chicago. A thousand acres of land are included in the premises and the buildings are such as will afford both home life and educational training for orphan children of members of the order. Just now there are 375 children being cared for at this model village.

Men of great prominence are instrumental in the establishment of this undertaking. Gov. Hiram Johnson of California was a member of the board of governors for two years and Gov. Capper of Kansas is now a member. Altogether the story of Mooseheart is one of great interest and gives certain evidence of the practical philanthropy that is carried on by the order.

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WINCHESTER

Winchester, Ill., March 10.—Funeral services for James Randolph Hendrickson, were held from the late home Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock, in charge of the Rev. O. L. Pride. Music was furnished by Mrs. W. H. Kinison and Miss Martha Higgins. Burial was made in Winchester cemetery. The bearers were Loren Kirkpatrick, Wiley Jackson, Chester Kirk, Jefferson Wisdom, Thomas Canatsey and Ernest Hagel.

The union meetings have grown to such an extent that it was decided to hold the Sunday night services in the Baptist church. Interest has increased nightly and with the good music by the large choir and strong sermons by the four Winchester pastors, the meetings are progressing with genuine success.

Miss Ruby Smith, ill for the past week at her home here, remains about the same in condition.

Miss Minnie Coultas of Riggston was a Winchester visitor Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor of Virden were visitors here Saturday. They were on their way to Franklin to attend the funeral of a relative.

A meeting was held Saturday at the Friendship west of Winchester. It will be continued Sunday.

Charles McCauley and sister, Mrs. William Peak, were in Jacksonville Saturday to see their father, W. C. McCauley, taking treatment at Our Savior's hospital.

Miss Freda Munze, ill with inflammatory rheumatism, is hardly so well.

Mrs. Julia Brown arrived home Friday after a visit in Beardstown. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodall, who were married a few days ago in St. Louis, have returned. They will make Winchester their home.

Henry Day of Alsey was a visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. G. E. Prewitt has been confined to her home by illness for the past week.

TWO HUNDRED SWELL TRIMMED TAILORED PHIPPS HATS ON SALE AT HERMAN'S GRAND SPRING OPENING, THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH.

SHORTY DAVIS USES KNIFE ON GABRIEL KIRDE.

Gabriel Kirde was badly cut about the face and right hand by Shorty Davis Saturday afternoon. The cutting took place in the Williams barber shop in the basement of the Scott block.

After the cutting Davis left the shop and went north on North West street. Kirde went before Justice Dyer and swore out a warrant against Davis, charging assault with intent to kill. The warrant is in the hands of the police but as yet Davis has not been apprehended.

Kirde is an elderly colored man and follows the business of scavenger. According to the story told by him he had hired Davis to work for him. They did some work Friday night. Davis, so Kirde says, owed him some money. When they met at the Williams barber shop Kirde wanted to deduct the amount that Davis owed. This led to altercation and Davis drew a knife and attacked Kirde. Daniel Tinsley, who was in the shop getting shaved, went to Kirde's assistance. Before Davis could be stopped he had slashed Kirde on the right side of the face and on the right hand.

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SAW ROBINS

John Barry, a well known and respectable citizen of the vicinity of Merritt, has a peculiar attraction for robins. He saw the first one this year the 7th; then a day or two ago he saw four and yesterday while coming to the city he saw several more.

Clothes for Boys

The call of Spring suggests the demands for new spring clothes for the boy.

New novelty designs and patterns—

Pinch Back and Patch Pocket Models
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Ball and bat given with each boy's suit.

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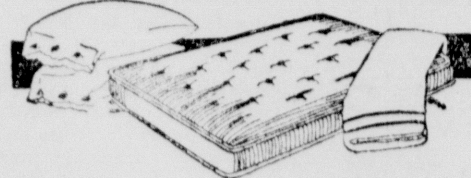
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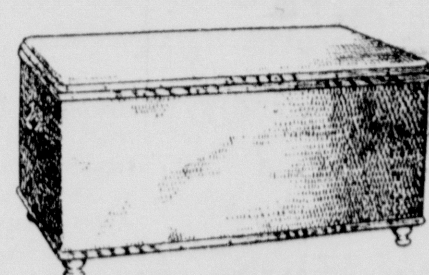
45 lb. rolle edge, Felt Combination Mattress, art tick, made for comfort and satisfaction. An excellent value at the price **\$7.50**

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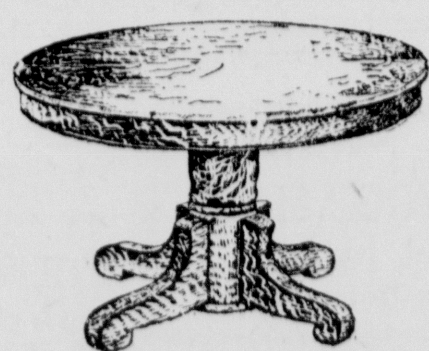
Many styles in Baby Carriages and Go-Carts are being shown, practically all at old prices, owing to our anticipating our needs early last year. Collapsible carts range from \$4.75 to \$15.00. Reed carriages from \$15.00 to \$45.00. Special Gondola design as above shown, all round reed, natural finish, regular price \$30.00 **\$24.50** Special this week at

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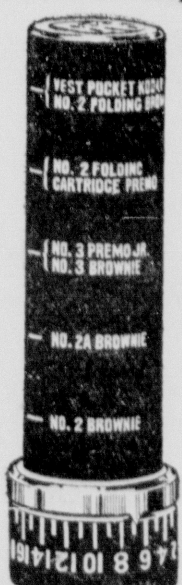
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\$12.50 value \$9.75
Fumed Oak Buffet, all oak, well worth
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Oak Princess Dresser, worth today
\$15.00 \$11.75
Quartered Gum Circassian Dresser. A
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GOV. LOWDEN STRONG FOR CONSTITUTION REVISION

State's Chief Executive Calls Upon Legislature to Submit Question to The People—Party Pledge Must Be Carried

Springfield, Ill., March 10.—Governor Lowden today called upon members of the house of representatives to adopt the resolution to submit to a vote of the people the question of calling a convention to revise the state constitution. The resolution will be in the house next Wednesday. It has been adopted by the senate. The executive praised the fiftieth general assembly for passing the administrative code bill, which he said, fulfilled two pledges, insuring a simplified form of state government and providing in a measure for a budget.

Must Carry Out Platform
Governor Lowden said: "In my inaugural address I called attention to the constructive program adopted by the Republican party in Peoria last September. I said, it must be carried out in good faith if we wish to retain the confidence of the people. Party pledges must be held as sacred as obligations incurred in other fields."

"Since then the legislature has done much toward fulfilling that platform. It has passed the administrative code bill, which consolidates the numerous state agencies under the governor's nine departments. That is the fulfillment of one pledge. The administrative code provides more thoroughly for a budget than any other state or national law in existence at the present time. This is the fulfillment of another party pledge. The consolidation measure is a long step in the direction of simplified and centralized government. It went as far as it is practicable for the legislature to go until the state has a new constitution. Upon this great question the senate has done its part. It has passed the resolution for a constitutional convention and that resolution is now pending in the house of representatives. It will come up for consideration next Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock."

Parties Now on Trial
"Both parties have declared in favor of a constitutional convention. They must, therefore support this resolution or repudiate their platform. I believe in political parties. I know of no instance in which self-government has been carried on successfully except thru political parties. But political parties are now on trial. If they are to retain the confidence of the people they must keep faith with the people. The supreme test of loyalty to a party is to keep, in letter and spirit, its platform promises." The people in the state, in my opinion, want a constitutional convention in any event, it is a question for them to decide, and all that the resolution does is to submit the question to them. If the voters declare a convention to be unnecessary then the responsibility for the continuance of present conditions will rest upon them.

"I am heartily in favor of a constitutional convention and hope to see the house pass the resolution providing for one next Wednesday."

Used pianos at prices such as \$79.00, \$87.00, \$157. Uprights in good condition.

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CONSIDER NEW OPIUM REGULATIONS

Peking, March.—Parliament is considering new opium regulations are much more stringent than any heretofore enacted in China. The proposed law provides capital punishment for persons planting poppies or opposing the action of officials who attempted to destroy poppy fields. The new measure provides imprisonment for long terms for all persons dealing in opium and smoking paraphernalia. It also stipulated that officials guilty of accepting bribes and countenancing violations of the opium regulations shall be punished more severely than the actual offenders.

E. R. Angelo of Lynville precinct was a city visitor yesterday.

Statement of assets and liabilities of the FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY of Jacksonville, Illinois, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1916, as shown by the annual report to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law and filed in the office of the said Auditor of Public Accounts on the 31st day of January, 1917.

ASSETS	
Cash on hand and due from banks	\$ 35,759.40
Loans secured by mortgages and bonds being first lien	100,046.85
Amount due the Company on which judgements have been obtained	9,300.00
Stocks and Bonds	45,000.00
Loans upon the pledges of securities	10,400.00
Other Assets, including accrued interest not enumerated above	173,652.13
Furniture and fixtures	7,400.00
Overdrafts	1,574.83
Total Assets	\$492,674.42

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,918.09
Deposits	387,156.33
Total Liabilities	\$492,674.42

STATE OF ILLINOIS ss.

County of Morgan
Frank J. Heintz one of the managing officers, and Arthur L. French and Charles F. Leach, two of the directors of The Farmers State Bank & Trust Company, a corporation of the State of Illinois being severally duly sworn, each upon his oath states:

That he makes this affidavit for the purpose of complying with the requirements of Section 2 of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act to provide for and regulate the administration of trusts by trust companies."

That the foregoing report of the said Farmers State Bank and Trust Company for the year ending December 31st, 1916, and the exhibits accompanying the same are true and correct in all respects to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that he has examined the assets and books of the said company for the purpose of making said report.

FRANK J. HEINTZ
ARTHUR L. FRENCH
CHARLES F. LEACH
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of January, 1917.
(SEAL) RUTH WAGGONER,
Notary Public.

SEEK TO CONSERVE IKONS IN CHURCHES OF GREECE

Prince Nicholas and Wife Lead in Movement to Save Sacred Images—Many Churches and Ancient Monasteries Impoverished by Balkan Wars.

Athens, Greece, March.—(Correspondent of The Associated Press.)—Both Prince Nicholas and his wife, the Princess Helen, who is a daughter of the late Grand Duke Vladimir of Russia, both devout members of the Greek church, are the leading conservators in Greece of the fine old Byzantine ikons still to be found in many Greek churches. It was Prince Nicholas who intervened with the French authorities to prevent the spoliation of the Greek churches of Macedonia by General Sarraïl's officers and soldiers. When the Allied armies first arrived in Saloniki officers would go into small, out of the way churches, see an attractive ikon hanging behind a burning lamp, take it down, leave a couple of francs on the altar to pay for it and really believe that they had done the local priest a service in the purchasing of the sacred image.

The Greek priest, however, regarded the transaction in quite a different light. They appealed to Prince Nicholas to stop the business which they and Prince Nicholas acted promptly through the head of the French School of Archaeology in Greece. The latter was requested personally to investigate a number of cases of which there had been complaint. He did so and established the facts on the basis of which Prince Nicholas pointed out to the French government that, aside from the religious feeling of the Greeks toward their ikons almost any of those for which General Sarraïl's officers had been forced to keep a couple of francs on the altar, could be sold in Paris for several thousand francs. General Sarraïl immediately issued a drastic order forbidding any of his officers or men to purchase articles from the Greek churches, under any circumstances.

Prince Nicholas now has a standing offer to purchase at a fair valuation any ikons, candlesticks or other church furniture of real worth which any of the churches in Greece may be forced to dispose of. He does not, however, keep the articles thus bought himself, but returns them to the church from which he has purchased them, where they remain his property, to prevent their being sold again.

The two Balkan wars have impoverished many of the Greek churches, and especially the monasteries which abound throughout Greece. Many of the monasteries are exceedingly ancient. Some were founded over a thousand years ago, and many were, at one time at least, exceedingly wealthy, as well. The American and British Schools of Archaeology of Athens are built on ground once the property of the Asomaton Monastery, once the richest single religious community in Greece. Today there are only about thirty monks belonging to the order who live in queer little lean-tos built about the walls of the central church. Little by little they have disposed of the greater part of their land. Another parcel is now in negotiation between the American and British schools and the monastery. When it is finally secured the two schools will build a combined school for women students on it.

The monks of the Asomaton, whose asceticism like that of all Greek monasteries, forbade the presence not only of women, but even of all female animals, will be able to contemplate from their narrowed retreat on the land that was once theirs, a building devoted solely to the housing of women.

Garden seed, garden tools—everything the very best at Brady Bros.

MAPLE GROVE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION MEET

The Parent-Teacher association of the Maple Grove district held a regular meeting Friday evening. The president, Mrs. George E. LaRue, presided. The following program was given:

Solo, "My Old Rag Doll"—Miss Virginia Godfrey.
Song "It Takes a Little Sunshine With the Rain"—Florence, Richard and Roscoe Godfrey.

J. H. Dial addressed the patrons and teachers on the relation of parent and teacher and the pupil. Mr. Dial's experience as a teacher enabled him to clearly exemplify the relations of the patrons to the school. His address was instructive and beneficial and much appreciated by all. Discipline in the school was then discussed by Mrs. E. Crabtree, Mrs. F. E. Kitter, Mrs. John Godfrey, Mrs. H. E. Weber, and Mrs. George F. LaRue.

A short time was then spent in a social way and light refreshments were served.

MUST PAY INCOME TAX ON EARNINGS

Manila, March.—Corporations, joint stock companies, associations and insurance companies, doing business in the Philippine Islands, will hereafter be compelled to pay income tax on their earnings in the Philippines, to the insular bureau of internal revenue, according to a ruling just made by the insular collector of internal revenue. Heretofore, such companies not purely local commercial entities have paid their income taxes to the federal government.

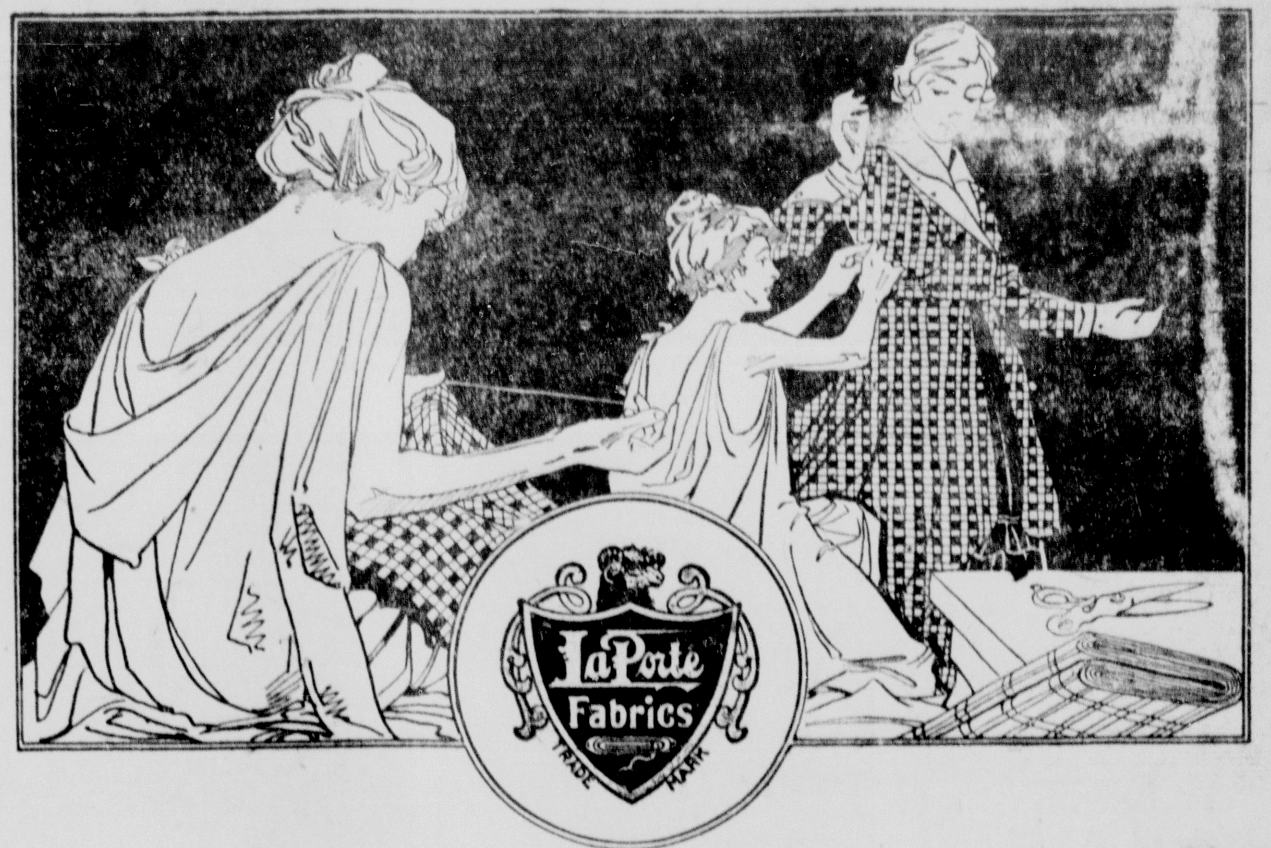
FIRE ALARM SATURDAY

The fire department was called to the residence of Thomas Dyer 489 East Independence avenue Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Mr. Dyer was engaged in burning some rubbish in the yard and the strong wind carried some of the sparks into some lumber stored under a shed. The blaze was extinguished before any damage was done.

T. L. Minier, president of the Minier bank at Nebo, was among visitors in the city Saturday.

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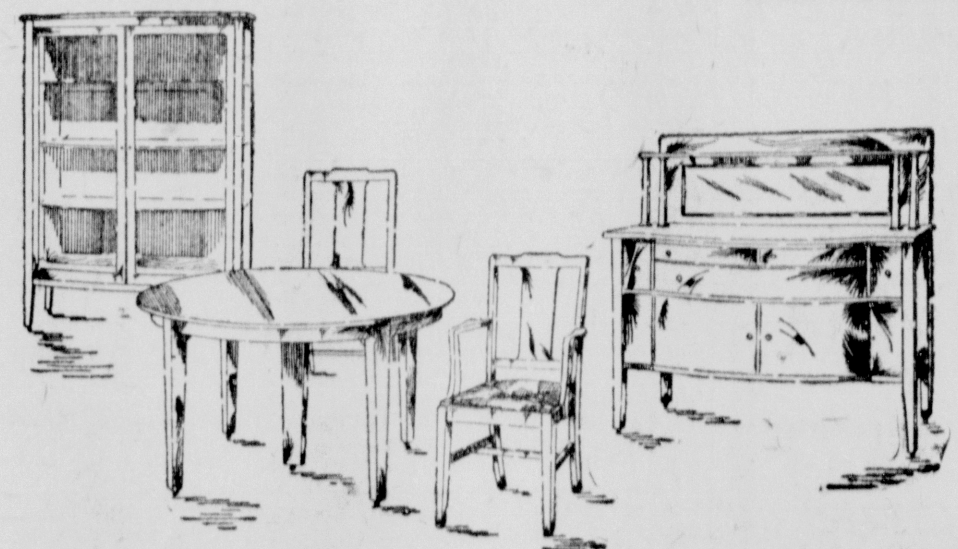
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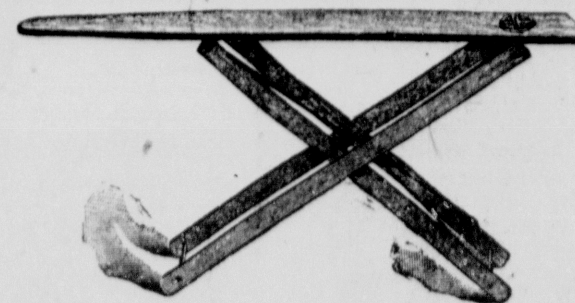
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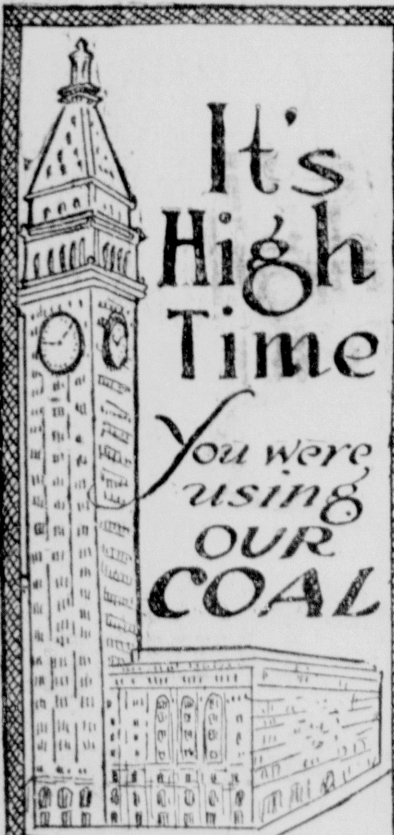
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MAVERICKS

Some think that when the robins
sing
In March—it is a sign of spring.
But before blossoms bloom and blow
There will be lots of ice and snow.

Lots of men mistake an attack of
dyspepsia for religion.

The Mexican constitution seems
to be rather undermined at the
present time.

The millennium must be approach-
ing. There was not an arrest made
for drunkenness in East St. Louis
last Sunday.

We Pass the Buck
One of our friends wants to know
if the sign, "Join Our X-mas Club"
is to be understood to mean, "Join
Our Ten Mothers Club?"

The Fatherland-New World-Vier-
eck, the German paper published in
New York might be good reading in
Germany but it seems sadly out of
place in this country at the present
time.

Trees
I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a tree.
A tree whose hungry mouth is prest
Against the earth's sweet flowing
breast;

A tree that looks at God all day
And lifts her leafy arms to pray;
A tree that may in summer wear
A nest of robins in her hair;
Upon whose bosom snow has lain;
Who intimately lives with rain.
Poems are made by fools like me,
But only God can make a tree.

—Joyce Kilmer, in Farm Journal

Bobby LaFollette says that con-
gress is the "me to" of the gov-
ernment. Wonder who was "dry
picked?"

We are wondering whether the
drilling of baseball clubs by regu-
lar army officers will result in the
players obeying the commands of
the umpires any better.

Winter seems to be sitting pretty
solidly in the lap of spring.

To dance or not to dance is a
problem that is giving the park
board as much trouble as the
"Overt" act is President Wilson.

A Winchester man was knocked
down and badly bruised by a Ford.
But what's the use?

The despatches Saturday morning
carried an interview from Dr. At-
tied Zimmerman, German foreign
secretary saying Germany had spoken
its last word to the United States.
Mr. Zimmerman might have saved
himself some breath as we some
time ago spoke our last word to
Germany.

The solar plexus that Governor
Whitman handed Les Darcy prom-
ises to become as famous in history
as the one Darcy's fellow country-
man, Bob Fitzsimmons, handed Jim
Corbett one St. Patrick's day at
in Carson City, Nevada.

New Public Sale Feature
James Reed had a sale at his
place in Hadley last Wednesday, and
those who were there had some ex-
citement. Wm. Childers and James
Washington had a fight, in which
it is said that Childers came out
second best.—Barry Adage.

Senator LaFollette compares the
present congress with a rubber
stamp. Many people are of the op-
inion that most of its members have
not made as good an impression as
a rubber stamp.

Ping Bodie the fence buster from
California is coming back to the big
show again next year as a member
of Connie Mack's Athletics. Ping
used to pasture with the White Sox.
However, it is not probable that Am-
erican league club owners will wor-
ry about reinforcing their fences for
Ping's debut as they did on his first
visit.

WESTERN TEAM WINS

Los Angeles, Cal., March 10.—
William M. Johnston and John R.
Strachan (west) defeated Harold A.
Throckmorton and George M.
Church (east) in the playoff here to-
day of their doubles match interrup-
ted by darkness Thursday when the
score was 6-4, 3-6, 4-6, 7-7. Play
was resumed today in the fourth set
which with the fifth went to the
western team 13-11 and 6-4.

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time from play to empty their bowels
and they become tightly packed, ty-
er gets sluggish and stomach disor-
dered.

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bies, children of all ages and grown-
ups are printed on each bottle.

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tle of "California Syrup of Figs,"
then look carefully and see that it
is made by the "California Fig Syr-
up company." We make no smaller
size. Hand back with contempt any
other fig syrup.—Adv.

In the Sporting World

Chicago, March.—The work of the long-
est and shortest pitchers who were in
the Southern League last season will be
keenly watched this season as both have
gone into the majors. The longest, Ed
Morone was drafted by the New York
Americans, and the shortest, Dick Kerr,
was sold conditionally to the St. Louis
Americans. The Browns have until May
1 to exercise their option on him.

Monroe is 21 years old, weighs 30
pounds, and stands 5 feet, 4 inches, while
Kerr is 23 years old, weighs 141 pounds
and is 5 feet, 7 inches tall. The former
is a right hander and latter a south-
paw, and both were members of the
Memphis club last season. Monroe
broke into organized baseball about four
years ago at Park, Ky., and Kerr made
his debut in the professional ranks in
Paragould, Ark., eight years ago.

Kansas City, Mo., March.—An "all
star" basketball team, picked from the
four high school teams of the Kansas
City Interscholastic League, has been
formed here to participate in the Na-
tional A. A. U. championship tourna-
ment to be held at Chicago, commencing
March 15.

Those who will make the trip are Sing-
er, forward, Central High; Gottlieb, for-
ward, Westport High; Dunn, forward,
Manual Training High; De Bernardi,
center, Northeast High; Kirkpatrick,
guard, Westport High; and Saunders,
guard, Central High. The team is to
travel to Chicago to raise the funds for the trip, a
three-game series with the undefeated
team of Rockhurst College here was ar-
ranged.

Omaha, March.—Within a week after
the contracts were mailed to them, four
members of the Omaha club of the West-
ern League have affixed their signatures
to the documents. Manager Marty Krug,
Pitcher Murphy Currie, Outfielder Shag
Thompson and Infielder John Watkins
were the men who signed. "P. O."
O'Rourke hopes to have his entire "fam-
ily" under contract soon.

Kansas City, March.—Three former
players of the Kansas City club of the
American Association will play this sea-
son with the Salt Lake City team of the
Pacific Coast League. They are Morris
Bath, Tom Downey and "Bunny" Brief.
The Coast League season will open on
April 2.

Omaha, March.—Robert Dolan, a sev-
enten-year old boy of Columbus, Neb.,
set a new holding record for the state.
It is believed when he recently rolled
a total of 1,717 pins in seven games, an
average of 246.7 per game. He rolled a
score of more than 300 in each of the
seven games, the first and last miss-
ing being perfect scores by only ten
points each. Scores made in the seven
games were: 296, 253, 254, 251, 297, 295 and
29.

Terre Haute, Ind., March.—For practi-
cally the first time since 1881 Terre Haute
probably will be without a professional
league baseball team this season. All
hopes of having a Central League club
has been abandoned and "Lefty" Gilbert,
manager of last year's team, has de-
scribed all of his players. He failed to per-
suade local capital to back a club, the
fans declining to pay for their baseball
in advance by buying season tickets.

Terre Haute, during its baseball career,
has turned out some star players.
Probably one of the greatest of these was
Mordecai Brown, the famous three-finger
pitcher, who starred for the Chicago
Cubs for many years. Of the players de-
veloped in Terre Haute who are still in
their hey-day, Arthur Nehf, who recently
signed to pitch again this year for the
Boston Nationals, and Max Baer, an-
other known as "Curly," the best-footed
outfielder for the Pittsburgh Nationals,
are among the best known. Josh Devore
was a great three world champion ship
games; "Doc" Myers, Billy Nelson,
Ace Stewart, who played second base for
Pop Anson; Cecil Ferguson, and Jimmy
Mottine are other products of Terre
Haute ball lots.

Bloomington, March.—Night baseball
is an innovation introduced by Coach
Whisman at Indiana University. The
second meets, two nights were for in-
structions. The course consists chiefly
of descriptive work, dealing with inside
baseball and the fundamentals of the
game.

The baseball cage has been installed in
the new gymnasium and as the squad,
which at the end of the winter vaca-
tion, numbered thirty-five or more play-
ers, has been out to 19, Coach Whisman
expects the men to develop rapidly be-
fore starting on the southern pre-sen-
ior trip.

The men remaining on the squad are:
Bulley, Kunkle, Smith, Colgar, McArdle,
Nelson, Kenhower, Gray, Swayne, Reed,
Ray, Hutton, Rust, Katterjohn, John-
son, Schmidt, Rustenbach, Anderson and
Bottelich. In addition Busch and
Schuler of the basketball five will join
the squad at the close of the basketball
season.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March.—Candidates
for the University of Michigan football
eleven have been requested to start
training at once. Captain-elect Smith
has made arrangements for the players
to work out in the gymnasium.
The success or failure of the 1917 team
may depend on the condition of the
Smith said, "and I want to see the men
start to prepare themselves now."

Kansas City, Mo., March.—George Te-
beau, president of the Kansas City club
of the American Association is working
out details of the forty-eight game sched-
ule to be played between the teams of
the International League and the Ameri-
can Association at the close of the sea-
son. Taken as a whole, the schedule
few days to meet representatives of the
Eastern League in regard to the sched-
ule.

Columbus, O., March.—First call for
baseball practice at Ohio State Univer-
sity brought out forty-five players.
Work has been started in the gymnas-
ium.

St. Louis, March.—Eddie Flinn, the 40
year old southpaw, has finally signed
with the St. Louis Americans. Flinn, a
veteran world's series star, wants to be
traded, but it is probable that St. Louis
will retain him. With Phil Niekro, Ar-
mando Marsans, the Cuban outfielder, is
the only regular member of last year's
club who is regarded as a holdout.

Evansville, Ind., March.—Harry Stahl-
becker, manager of the Evansville
League club, announces that practically
all of the new team will meet the Evans-
ville fans this season. He has a num-
ber of new players under contract but
has not made public the selection of the
team.

The sale of George Tepe, shortstop,
to the Dayton club of the Central
league was made Stahbecker said because
the Evansville fans were demanding new
faces.

Bloomington, Ind., March.—Benton
Springer, who last year was picked for
a place on the All-Illinois high school
basketball team has been elected cap-
tain of the freshman basketball team of
Indiana University. Springer is also
a football captain and baseball player
and is counted on next fall to fill the va-
cancy in the kicking department caused
by the loss of Walter Hess.

St. Louis, March.—Branch Riskey,
business manager of the St. Louis Amer-
icans, believes he has found a "second
Kid Eberfeld" in W. A. Moore of Van-
derbilt University, who has been picked
to play third base. He will report after
graduating in June.

Cleveland, March.—"Smookey" Joe

ANNOUNCE ENTRIES
IN KENTUCKY HANDICAP

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 10.—
Entries in the Kentucky handicap to
be run at Douglas Park here, May
25, and in the Latonia derby at La-
tonia on June 16, were announced
here today by John Hachmeister,
general manager of both tracks. He
also announced that 458 nomina-
tions had been made for the Latonia
championship stakes which will
have its first running in 1919 for
three year olds and will be worth
approximately \$40,000. Included in
the entries already closed are five
from France and twenty two from
England.

Sixty of the most royally bred
horses in training in the United
States are entered for the handicap.
It is for three year olds and up-
wards at a mile and a quarter, and
will be worth approximately \$12,-
000 for the winner.

Columbus, O., March.—Mordecai Brown
the famous "Three Finger" star, who
has signed with the Columbus club of
the American Association, will coach re-
cruit pitchers with the western leagu-
ers taking the squad out on the field.
With about 40 club candidates out for places
on the team, baseball prospects at Pur-
due are unusually bright.

Lafayette, Ind., March.—Bunting prac-
titioner at batting cage here marked the
work of the Purdue University baseball
squad. Coach Pattison says he intends
to keep up this form of practice al-
most exclusively until the western leagu-
ers take the squad out on the field.
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on the team, baseball prospects at Pur-
due are unusually bright.

Omaha, March.—William D. Clark, who
for several years has been professional
at the Omaha Field Club, has intro-
duced indoor golf to this city and for
two winters conducted a school of in-
door golf. Clark has resigned to become
professional at the Minneapolis Golf Club,
a new organization.

Omaha, March.—President Holmes of
the Omaha club of the Western League
announces the signing of two recruits,
Bert Lamb, a third baseman last year
with Tulsa, Okla., and Jack Butler, a
shortstop who formerly played in the
Pacific Coast league. Pitcher Jack
Gardner has been sold to the Great Falls
team in the Northwestern league.

Greencastle, Ind., March.—DePauw
University plans to send a team to the
conference track meet to be held June
9 at Chicago. In addition DePauw will
have three dual meets and will partici-
pate in the state meet to be held at Pur-
due University on June 2. The schedule
of dual meets follows: May 5, Rose Poly-
technic at Greencastle; May 12, Walsh at
Greencastle; and May 19, Indiana at
Bloomington.

Minneapolis, March.—Frank Mayer,
for two years tackle on the University
of Minnesota football team, will be in-
eligible for the transfer eleven next fall
unless he removes three conditions re-
sulting from midwinter examinations.
He will have an opportunity to remove
the conditions in summer school.
Mayer was chosen by a majority of
football experts last fall as an All-West-
ern tackle. In the Chicago game he
tackled seven goals without a miss.

Crawfordsville, Ind., March.—Coach
Sheeks of the Walsh College basket-
ball team denies that any of his players
have been participating in independent
basketball games. Managers of inde-
pendent teams, it is said, in order to
increase the attendance have been ad-
vertising that Walsh players would
participate. Athletic directors of several
colleges have written to Coach Sheeks
protesting against members of the
Scarlet team playing with independent
clubs.

To be "posted" even before the train-
ing season starts shows that Ray Cald-
well, the Yankees' however, is apparently
the same old "Slim" as of yore.
Manager Bobby Robinson is banking
on Catcher Snyder, a Macon recruit, to
make good with the Robins, evidently
figuring that Chief Meyers is about
through.

The Harvard varsity baseball squad
now numbers 25 men. The team will
be given a chance to show their
wares before the pruning process starts.
It is rather a curious fact that the
two players holding nearly all of the
long distance batting records are pitch-
ers—Walter Johnson of Washington and
Labe Ruth of the Red Sox.
At the close of the Southern League
season next fall a post-season series
will be staged between the pennant win-
ner and the champion of the American
sport writers on the Southern Circuit.
Jesse Tammehill and Bob Hart, the in-
ternational league umpires, have been
selected to umpire the exhibition games
between the Boston Braves and the New
York Yankees.

Washington has received word that
Catcher Acosta of the Nationals has
joined the revolutionary party in Cuba.
His father, Col. Baldomero Acosta, is
said to be one of the rebel leaders.
This three big league teams of Great-
er New York have no fewer than 115
pastimes in training at the present time.
The Giants have 46 players under con-
tract, the Yankees 37, and the Superbas
22.

President Ban Johnson of the Ameri-
can league has assured the management
of the Toronto club of his intention to
visit the Canadian city for the Lajoie
day celebration to be held there next
June.

The Brooklyn National league cham-
pions have a promising pitching pros-
pect in Dunning, who comes from the
Portland Eastern league team. His
record for last year shows that he won
seven games and lost seven.

Monday, May 14, has been named as
"Fred Mitchell Day" at the Braves field
in Boston. On that day the Chicago
Cubs will play their first visit to the
Hub under the management of the
Braves' former scout and Harvard
coach.

Manager Connie Mack feels confident
that Ping Bodie will come through and
be a regular with the Athletics. Bodie
is said to have learned a lot of base-
ball in the Pacific Coast league during the
two years since he left the White Sox.
Since 1887, the year Homer Wagner
broke into the big show, the Pirates star
has taken part in 2711 games with a
grand batting average of .324. Homer
started his big league career with Louis-
ville, then a National league club, play-
ing in the outfield.

Will Joe Wood, the former Red Sox
pitcher, be able to show his old-time
winning stuff for the Indians? This is
the question that is puzzling the Cleve-
land fans this spring. This time last
year the followers of the Indians were
wondering what Speaker would do for
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Compound, per pound	17

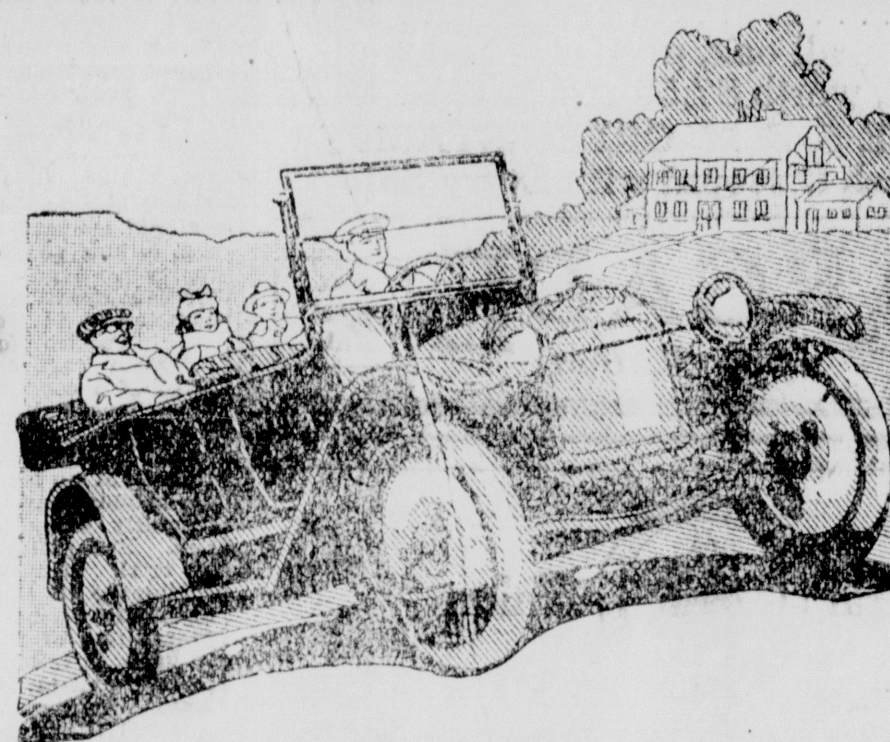
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Central Christian church—M. L. Pontius, Minister. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. C. L. DeFew, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Theme of the sermon, "The Conversion of Saul of Tarsus." Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Things that Keep Us From God." Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Wehl, Robert Boyd and Byron Carpenter will sing at both services. The Senior Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. will be led by Miss Frances Grassly and Melchior Hart and Jack Westover will lead the Intermediate society meeting at the same hour. A cordial invitation is extended to all not worshipping elsewhere.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Walter E. Spoons, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject, "Five Times in Life When Human Help Is Inadequate." Evening subject, "Our Homes, Our Country and Our Duty." This is the second lecture on this subject. These Sunday evening lectures are drawing large crowds. The Ladies' Missionary society will meet Thursday afternoon, Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Personal Evangelism." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The men of the church are arranging for a Good Fellowship supper for the 22nd of this month.

Westminster church—Edward B. Landis, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:30. W. J. Brady, superintendent. Morning worship 10:45. The subject will be "The Sin of Doing Pretty Well." At this hour a special offering for the work of the boards of the church will be made. In the evening a stereopticon lecture on "Japan" beginning at 7:30. At 5:30 all young people of the church are invited to a luncheon at which time a consideration of the organization of a C. E. society will be presented. The public is most cordially invited to worship with us.

Congregational church—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:45. Evening service at 7:30. "Soul Winning" will be the morning theme and will be the theme thru the month of March.

Brooklyn—There will be services both morning and evening. Preaching by the pastor, W. M. Theobald, at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject at the morning hour will be "The Call to Service" and at night "The Bread of Life." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. A. Walters, Supt. Mission study class at 5 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is given to all services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular services are held in Odd Fellows' Temple, E. State street, on Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject: "Man." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room, 507 Ayers Bank Bldg., is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Centenary M. E. church—Ernest L. Pletcher, Minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mr. A. C. Metcalf, supt. Splendid music and a class for every one. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Jr. Epworth League 2:30 p. m. Miss Clara Smith, supt. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Mr. Harry Barnes, leader. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study class every Wednesday evening. You will always find a most cordial welcome.

First Baptist church—A. A. Todd, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Carl Weber, supt. Public hours of worship 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon, "The Christian's Part in the Conversion of the Sinner." Evening sermon, "The One Saving Name." B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Spreading the Good News." Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Topic, "Bringing the Friend to Jesus." Training class 8:30 p. m. Services at Baptist chapel Sunday 2:30 p. m. and Friday 7:30 p. m.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church—East College street. Rev. J. G. Kuppier, pastor. Third Sunday in Lent. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in German at 10:20 a. m. In the evening an illustrated lecture on the life of Luther (Part Two) will be given in the English language. This lecture will comprise the principal events in Luther's life from the Diet at Worms, 1521, to his death, 1546. Everybody cordially welcome.

Trinity Episcopal church—3rd Sunday in Lent. Sunday services: Early service, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 10:45 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m. Week Day Services: Tuesday, Literary and Bible study, 4:30; Wednesday, evening prayer and sermon, 7:30; Thursday Litany and Bible study, 4:30; Friday services, 1:30 a. m., 10 and 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Confirmation instruction at the Rectory, 4:00. J. F. Langton, Rector.

Mt. Emory Baptist church—Enos Larkin, Minister. Worship at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject of morning discourse "The Spirit of Service." At 7:45 the pastor will speak on "The Christian Religion." Bible school at 2:30. Mrs. Medora Bryant, superintendent. Mrs. Pauline Moore in charge of elementary department. Come and join one of our classes. Y. P. C. association at 6:30. Group No. 2 under Wilber Boyd will have charge of the program. A large crowd is expected. The Brotherhood is looking forward with pleasure to the coming of President Page of the Western College, Macon, Mo., who will deliver an address before them on Thursday, March 22. A cordial welcome extended to all these services.

State Street Presbyterian church—Rev. R. B. Wilson, pastor. This

Sunday morning service at 10:45. Sermon subject, "How to Win Souls." Sunday school at 9:30 in morning, to which every man, woman and child not attending any Sunday school at this hour is invited. Send the little ones to our primary department, the most interesting school in this city, also classes for all other ages, including men and women Bible class. T. M. Tomlinson, Sunday school superintendent. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. The public is cordially welcome at all times.

McCabe M. E. church, Cox street—M. Luther Mackay, pastor. Preaching morning and evening. Subject morning discourse "Jesus the Bread of Life." Sunday school, 2:45 p. m., Mrs. E. U. Coen, supt. Ep. L. 7:00 p. m., C. B. Nasby, President. Subject evening discourse, "Some things we ought and ought not to forget." A warm welcome to all.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church—F. B. Madden, minister. Morning prayer, 7 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45 a. m. Sermon by Miss Victoria Booth-Clibborn. Bible conference 3 p. m. Address by Miss Elfrida Johnston. Mission Study, 5 p. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m., sermon by evangelist. This is the closing day of the Revival Mission and a thank-offering will be received for the evangelists. Official Board, 7:30 p. m., Monday. Sunday school Board, 6:15 p. m., Tuesday. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m., Wednesday. A cordial welcome for all.

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Mrs. James Ring of Murrayville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

The regular Devotional Service at Academy Hall on Sunday evening will be led by Lois Daniels, '18. The subject will be "Living for Others."

Ernest F. Alford, '16, ex-captain of the Illinois College football team, has taken a position as coach and instructor in the Beardstown High school.

President Rammelkamp received a letter a few days ago from the Reverend Charles M. Eames, '04, who is again at work in the foreign mission field at Tsinshing, Shantung, China.

Coach Harmon attended the High School Basketball tournament in Decatur last week.

Following a custom prevailing in many parts of the country during these critical times, an American flag has been placed on the walls of the College chapel.

While President Rammelkamp was working in the library of the Presbyterian Historical Society at Philadelphia, he ran across a document of considerable local historical interest. It is the old minute book containing the original record of the organization of the Presbyterian church in Jacksonville. The clerk who kept the minutes was William C. Posey, one of the early Trustees of the college.

The new Alumni Directory is in press and will probably be issued in about two weeks. The Directory will contain the names and addresses of all living alumni and former students. It is the plan of the committee to mail the directory free of charge to all alumni and former students.

The Alumni Fund association has in press a booklet containing half-ton cuts of all alumni for whom Memorial memberships have been established by the association. This interesting publication will also be distributed free of charge to alumni and former students.

The Jacksonville Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting at Academy Hall on Tuesday, March 20th. Instead of the usual banquet

light refreshments will be served at a nominal charge. President Rammelkamp has been invited by the association to deliver his illustrated lecture on the history of the College. All alumni and former students of the College and Conservatory, Jacksonville Female Academy and Atheneum are cordially invited.

Mrs. John Adams Scott of Evans-ton is visiting her daughter Miss Dorothy Scott at Academy Hall. Mrs. Scott came to Jacksonville to witness the performance of the "Chimes of Normandy."

Many inquiries for catalogs are being received, and the present indications are that "Old Illinois" will have another substantial increase in attendance next year.

The Sigma Pi and Phi Alpha De-gate will be held Friday evening, March 16th, in the College Chapel, at 8 o'clock. The question for debate will be "Resolved, That the United States should intervene in Mexico to establish a stable form of government."

State of Illinois) ss.
County of Morgan)

To Wade Willman, Mattie Willman, and all whom it may concern: Take notice that on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1917, a petition was filed by Alton S. Winey and Louise E. Winey, in the County Court of Morgan county for the adoption of a child named Martha Florene Willman.

Now unless you appear within twenty days after the date of this notice and show cause against such application, the petition shall be taken as confessed and a decree of adoption entered.

C. A. Boruff, Clerk.
Dated March 11, 1917.

Carl E. Robinson, Attorney for petitioners.

H. M. Lane has returned from New York City where he went to attend the convention or reunion of the traveling force of the great house of Cohen, Goldman & Co.

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WILLARD W. C. T. U. NOTES
Was it You?
Somebody tried to ruin my boy,
Somebody helped his pure life to destroy,
Was that somebody you?
Somebody argued in favor of wrong,
Somebody hushed in my life a sweet song,
Was that somebody you?
Somebody turned all my day into night,
Somebody voted to throttle the right,
Was that somebody you?
Somebody licensed another to sell,
That which turned paradise into hell,
Was that somebody you?
"Woe to him that buildeth a town with blood, and stablisheth a city with iniquity! Woe to him that giveth his neighbor drink, that putteth thy bottle to him, and reckest him drunken."
—Bible.
Washington, D. C., will have no saloons after Nov. 1, 1917. It will be "Out of the Stench" before Christmas. The impossible has become commonplace. Kentucky's governor has declared for prohibition. The Governor of New York has come out for a local option law, the workers for "a saloonless New York in 1920." The drink traffic is now cornered in a half dozen of the great cities of our country.
Missouri kept wet by the vote of St. Louis, has only 16 wet counties, while 35 are dry, and 12 more are dry except in one or two cities while 52 per cent of Missouri people live in prohibition territory.
Wisconsin is working for statewide prohibition. The bootleggers have been busy in the state of Washington since it went dry, Jan. 1, 1916. Spokane alone reduced its booze bill three and one half million dollars in its first prohibition year. Money saved for homes.
Oregon's first dry year was the most successful commercially and industrially. Bank clearances, post office receipts and savings deposits have broken all records.
Michigan, Montana, South Dakota and 12 other dry states put 7.6 of saloons out of business. The United States has 2,746 counties. Of these 2,238 are dry by local option or by prohibition.
W. J. Bryan declares the Democratic platform four years hence will contain a "dry" plank for the nation.
The American Nation is going dry—dry as a bone in a desert, so far as booze is concerned. We will be a prohibition nation by 1920."
—Gov. Capper of Kansas.
"Congress passes anti-liquor bill advertising and anti-liquor shipping measure as rider to Post office appropriation bill."
Vital victories: Porto Rico may have prohibition, Wyoming, New Mexico, Iowa, Utah and Minnesota are to vote on state-wide prohibition. New York introduces state-wide bill.
"Regulation is merely an attempt to make the devil respectable; and"
I GOT on a
WEST SIDE car today
JUST DENIED a woman
WHOSE HAIR looked like
THE INSIDE of a
CHEAP MATTRESS.
SHE CHANGED a dollar
TO PAY her car fare
AND IT made me sick
TO REALIZE that she had
ENOUGH MONEY left in
HER PURSE to buy a
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the more respectable the devil is the more dangerous he is." Viewed from every angle the liquor traffic is the most stupendous robber on earth. So-called revenue doesn't figure when it threatens decency and honor. They talk of 'personal liberty.' There is no such thing. There were only two persons on earth who ever had absolute personal liberty—Adam, before Eve came along; and Robinson Crusoe before he met Friday. You can't reconstruct your house or do hosts of important things without getting permission and you can't get permission to do anything inimical to the public welfare, except to drink and sell liquor.
—Mary Harris Arnold.
Miss Anna A. Gordon, our national President of the W. C. T. U., has just completed six weeks of arduous labor at Washington City. Every waking moment was filled. Her inspiring presence and wise counsel was a potent factor in the victories won.
"I would rather have my boy pass opium dens than saloons—the latter are more dangerous."
If buttermilk affected people like liquor does, you would kill every cow.
—Mrs. Minnie C. Brubaker, Press Supt.
Select your piano from J. Bart Johnson's add on page 12.
MURRAYVILLE
Mrs. C. F. Strang spent Tuesday with her daughter Mrs. J. C. Andrus Jr., and family at Manchester.
E. R. Clemmons enjoyed a visit from her brother Leslie Clemmons of Milton from Saturday until Monday.
Warren E. Wright and J. E. Thompson attended an embalmers meeting at Jacksonville Tuesday.
Miss Nannie Campbell spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Lyndenville while there attended the wedding of her cousin Miss Beatrice McKinney.
Mrs. J. A. Carlson visited her mother and sister at Manchester Tuesday.
Mrs. Susan McLanahan visited relatives at Jacksonville Monday and Tuesday.
C. F. Wright and family went to Jacksonville Monday where he has a position with the LaCrosse Lumber Co.
Fred Greenwalt of Manchester was a business visitor here Tuesday.
Mrs. Claude Sandidge is the guest of relatives at Slater, Mo., this week.
Bert and Mrs. E. H. Blakeham of Chicago, Tuesday, March 6th, a ten pound son, at the home of Mrs. Blakeham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cunningham.
J. H. Dial of Jacksonville was a business visitor here Wednesday.
The Domestic Science Club met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Pearl Story.
Mrs. C. J. Vaughan of Jacksonville visited home folks here Tuesday evening and Wednesday.
C. J. Wright is a business visitor in Missouri this week.
Mrs. P. M. Blakeham gave a rook party at her home Tuesday evening in honor of her brother Charles and Robert Osborne, who left Thursday morning for Bozeman, Montana, to attend the opera performance. Miss Mae Ainsworth of Chandlerville, and Miss Margaret Eagan of Chapin, also attended.
Mr. Sindlinger, one of the directors of the Cosmopolitan School in Chicago, who has done much work as a graphic impressario, attended the opera and expressed himself enthusiastically over the entire production.
Visitors at the Hall, on account of the opera were Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Wheeler. Also Mary Daniels, of Petersburg.
There will be a students' recital next Friday afternoon, March 16th, in Recital Hall. The public is cordially invited to attend.
WEEK END PARTY
Miss Anna Belle Crawley, southeast of the city, has as her guests for the week end Miss Eula Harshaw, Miss Augusta Carlson, Miss Ruth Carlson, from this city, and Miss Geneva Arthur, who recently completed a California visit and returned to her home in Jacksonville.
Charles Flynn, a student at Routt college, went to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn of Buckhorn yesterday for a week end visit.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES
President Harker returned Tuesday from Camargo, Illinois, where he attended the funeral of the late W. F. Jarman.
The South Side Circle met Friday afternoon with Miss Wackerle, in the part of the program. At the same hour Miss Walker, head of the department of Home Economics, gave her lecture to a number of the Club Women of Jacksonville on "Feeding the Family." This took place in the domestic science department.
A number of most artistic posters have been an exhibition for several days announcing the art exhibit, which is now being held at the College. These posters were made by the students of the department and show unusual talent and ability on the part of the ones making them. They will be placed in a number of store windows on Saturday evening where they may be seen during the next few days.
The exhibition of paintings will be open to the public beginning Monday, March 12th. Announcement has already been made in regard to these pictures. The art lovers of Jacksonville know and appreciate these exhibitions as evidenced by the large numbers who were in attendance last year. Those who are planning to attend should make arrangements now as the exhibit will only be here for two weeks.
The Dramatic Club gave a clever stunt in the social room Saturday night. A number of class friends were present.
M. THIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:
If you would like a nice kid shoe for ladies, hand turned sole, medium heel and toe, rubber or leather heel, lace or button, tip or plain toe, for \$3.00, come in and see them. It's just like getting gold dollars for seventy-five cents.
CONSERVATORY NOTES
The Comic Opera, "The Chimes of Normandy," given Friday evening at the Opera House, was most successful, being attended by very large audience, who expressed their appreciation by much enthusiastic applause. As a result of this performance the Kelleman Scholarship fund will be materially added to. The Conservatory wishes to express publicly its high appreciation of the valuable assistance of Misses Dunlap, Phoebe, Dummer, Janette, Russell and Ethel Wylder in the costuming of the chorus.
Miss Rebecca Scheibel, a graduate of the Conservatory, came down from Lincoln, Ill., to attend the opera performance. Miss Mae Ainsworth of Chandlerville, and Miss Margaret Eagan of Chapin, also attended.
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GRACE CHAPEL
James A. Smith and son Austin and grandson James Byron were transacting business in this neighborhood this week. Arthur Black and his force of men installed a plant for acetylene lights in the church the first of the week, digging a pit for the generator.
Walter Brauer who has been ill for some time continues slowly to improve. Howard McFadden kindly motored him to town to call on his doctor.
Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of John Ator Monday.
Mrs. H. E. Ogle visited her son Lloyd Monday night. He is sick at Dr. Wolf's with the measles.
Arthur Vorhees and wife visited Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and friends in Chapin.
Letha Mason is improving after a slight attack of erysipelas.
Mrs. H. E. Ogle and daughters entertained the Willing Workers at their home Wednesday afternoon. There was a large number of members and visitors present. Three new members were added to the roll, cell who were Mrs. Charles Fairchild, Mrs. Wall Mason and Edna Ogle. After the program a delightful two-course luncheon was served, after which a social hour was spent. The society meets next month with Mrs. Tom Partier and Mrs. Vinton Bourn. The program was as follows:
Song 107.
Scripture Reading—Mrs. Harry Brainer.
Sentence—Prayers—Mrs. Fairchild, Mrs. Bourn and Mrs. Brainer.
Reading—"The Church That Waked Up"—Mrs. Arthur Vorhees.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Elmo Smith.
Reading—Mrs. Vinton Bourn.
Instrumental Solo—Mrs. Alice Charlesworth.
Roll call, with a good collection.
During the business session the members voted to pledge \$150.00 towards the improvement of the church including the first payment on the new lights. Also other business matters were transacted to the satisfaction of the society. Members voted to hold another market in the near future. Members respond to the roll call next month using the letter "W."
HICKORY GROVE
Last week N. Y. Funk sold a car load of hogs to Edw. Allen at 12c per pound. John M. Carwell is improving after a serious kick by a horse he recently purchased.
Spencer Carpenter made a business trip to Sinclair last Friday.
James Smith has been on the sick list for a few days.
Several from this locality were visitors in the city Saturday.
Saturday an election was held at the school house.
M. F. Dunlap made a business trip to his farm Monday.
Earl Bourn is in need of a good farm hand for the summer. Call Bell phone 901.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald were hostesses to a number of friends Tuesday evening. Music was an evening diversion furnished by William McDonald and Nathan Carpenter.
The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown is confined to her home by illness.
Mrs. Earl Bourn and Miss Estella Bourn visited the city Thursday.
Mrs. Stephen Shelton of Woodson was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

COLLEGE OF MUSIC
On Monday, March 1, Mr. Stearns gave a recital in the organ at the Methodist church, before a large audience. All were greatly pleased with the concert and there were many expressions of desire that he should return and give another concert.
On Thursday afternoon, March 8, the Intermediate students in the college of Music were heard in a recital. The young artists acquitted themselves with dignity and ease, presenting an interesting and varied program, which is given in full below:
Dawn in the Desert Ross
Way Down South Homer
Helen Norris.
Elevation (organ) Guilman
Olive Engel.
Who'll Buy my Lavender German
Esther Kirk.
O Had I Jubel's Lyre Handel
Merlin Terhune.
Barchetta Nevin
Florence Madden.
Spring Song McKenzie
Hazel Ingram.
Two Preludes Chopin
C minor
A major
Helen Horner.
Fairy Lullaby Beach
I Send my Heart up to Thee Branscomb
Edith Kensil.
Waltz in Octaves Concone
Mary Floreth.
A Birthday Huntington-Woodman
Gretta Louth.
Monday evening, Miss Edith Hilberly will give her senior recital in organ in Music Hall at 6:15. Miss Hilberly has prepared a large program of interesting modern works for the organ. All are cordially invited to attend.

Looking Ahead
Successful men of all ages have been able to look into the future. Have you been looking ahead as to what you will need for the car this spring—engine repairs, tires and tubes, batteries etc? If not, now is the time. We anticipated advances in rubber, batteries, and in fact all accessories. Nearly everything advanced the first of the year and from advices received, everything is ready to advance again.
We looked ahead for ourselves, also for you—and bought in a large supply of tires, tubes, batteries, accessories, and in fact everything you are liable to need this spring. Our prices are right for the quality of goods we handle. If you overlook this place before buying you are making a mistake. A trial of our goods and service will convince you. Always a complete line and always at your service.
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29c Ladies' White Lisle Hose	25c	15c White Shaker Flannel	12½c
15c 18-inch Linen Crash	12½c	50c Ladies' Slipon Nainsook Gowns	39c
8c Colored Border Guest Towels	5c	81-inch Standard Bleached Sheet	30c

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GERMAN WIDOW REAPS BIG HARVEST BY SWINDLE

Begin Operations by Trade in Foodstuffs—Investors Aware That Enormous Profits Must Come From Illegal Methods—Spent Money Lavishly

Berlin March.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Germany now has its Cassie Chadwick, its Mme. Humbert, case. The latest rival to these women of international notoriety is Frau Meta Kupfer, an attractive widow of 41. With a capital consisting of plenty of nerve, an attractive daughter, plenty of good looks herself, lavish hospitality in these lean war times, and an unduly keen insight into the gullibility and selfishness of mankind, she had harvested just under three millions of marks up to the time of her arrest and confession.

Her plan of procedure was the old one—based on "50 Percent Miller." She has been paying 12 per cent a month interest on money "invested" with her. And each solitary investor has put in his or her money in the belief that it was going into a wholesale food business, and with the knowledge that the enormous profits must come from illegal methods and at the expense of an overcharged public.

Therefore Germany, finally awake to the swindle, is inclined to have more sympathy with Frau Kupfer, now languishing in jail, than in her "investors," whose names have not yet been made public, but who are said to include wealthy tho greedy capitalists, men with well known names, officers among them, all of whom are doing their best to keep out of the limelight.

Frau Kupfer began her operations on a modest and apparently a legitimate scale when, a year and a half ago, she moved to Berlin and began to trade in the then almost unrestricted foodstuffs. But the money did not come in nearly as fast as the opportunities to get money from investors who wanted to make big profits quickly, regardless at whose expense they might come.

So Frau Kupfer began to forge a few bills of lading and the few necessary official looking seals and stamps, opened a more pretentious office, launched the "business" in her daughter's name—since she was on the court records as a bankrupt and therefore not entitled to conduct a business of her own—and sat down to wait for the money.

She represented to the would-be investors that her storage warehouses for food were in a city some 100 miles from Berlin, and so charmingly did she recite the story that no one thought to verify the matter until an investigator revealed the whole swindle.

As the money poured in Frau Kupfer had to increase the number of her bank accounts, until she had six large banks gladly accepting her deposits. Gradually her own ways of life changed. She rented a pret-

ty the modest apartment in the west end of Berlin, where she entertained the more favored of the investors. The daughter came in handy, too, for her very great beauty acted as a quietus on all embarrassing questions, all uncomfortable requests for details.

Somewhat Frau Kupfer managed to get a not inconsiderable portion of the food that was supposed to make up her business, for she nightly gave banquets at which nothing was lacking. The rest of Berlin might sigh for butter or stand in line for potatoes, but she always had plenty and more.

The entertainments were never so noisy or populous as to enrage the neighborhood, but they were long drawn out affairs that often lasted until six in the morning. Yet Frau Kupfer always was at her office by nine fresh and ready for anything, whether it be new investments, demands for the return of old ones, or the payment of the monthly "interest." She kept no books, but stowed away in her head all her financial transactions, with the exception of receipts for payments. These have revealed the identity of her financial supporters.

The eventual arrival of the police found her with her daughter and one man, an investor-admirer. On the heels of the police came creditors who wanted their money back. With a sang froid and a nerve worthy of a better cause she made an appointment with creditors for the same afternoon at Berlin's largest bank, then turned and walked out with the plain clothes men whose identity the creditors had not discovered.

The police investigation revealed that Frau Kupfer had taken in between two and a half and three million marks, most of it recently; that her daughter, nominally the head of the company, probably knew little about the whole matter; that many creditors had drawn out all they had ever put in and much more by way of interest, but at the expense of many others who had poured thousands into Frau Kupfer's lap; that of the money taken in she had spent for her entertainments and their food and wine, for her own living expenses and those of her daughter, including luxurious clothes, and for interest on investments, all but about \$500,000 marks of what she had taken in.

She had purchased a villa; she had, peculiarly enough, founded a genuine business in a central German city, she had even invested in German war loans—and forgotten about it and failed to call for the bonds. The two and a half to three millions meanwhile represent only the net loss of her clients, for her gross income has been vastly greater, and has dwindled to three millions because of repayments of investments.

Her arrest has been the local sensation of the month, and her former office and home have been the scenes of large and excited crowds. But the indignation of Berlin is not directed at her at all, but rather at her own dupes.

LABOR SHORTAGE IS SERIOUS IN CANE FIELDS

Sugar Estates in Santo Domingo Handicapped by Conditions—The Wages Better than Ever Before—Severe Earthquake in Mountain District.

San Pedro De Macoris, Dominican Republic, March.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Sugar estates, the largest employers of labor in Santo Domingo, altho well into their harvest, are being seriously handicapped by a shortage of labor. Estate managers say they do not have more than seventy per cent of the labor they actually need in order to handle the present crop without loss. This condition is most seriously felt in this district, the largest sugar producing section in the republic.

Better wages are being paid than ever before and most of the estates have put cane cutters on a tonnage basis of forty cents a ton. An average laborer, managers say, will cut from four to six tons of cane a day, while some will cut as high as eight tons.

Since the temporary military occupation by the United States more Dominicans are working in the cane fields than during previous years, according to the estate managers, who explain this condition by the fact that there are no revolutions in which the laborers can participate either thru choice or against their will. One of the chief sources of recruits for revolutionary armies in the past has been the agricultural laborer. A general with a few followers, arriving on a large estate, in the not far distant past, would quickly round up all available labor, provide arms and ammunition and soon have an army. Both government and revolutionary leaders recruited in this way, according to all informants here. Plantation owners, thus deprived of their labor, might make claim against the government for damages and a considerable portion of the present floating indebtedness of the government is made up of such claims.

Almost every nearby island in the West Indies has been drawn on for labor to handle the present sugar crop and despite the immigration laws which prohibit the importation of labor with special permission from the government, there are thousands of negroes from the English islands, the Danish West Indies, Porto Ricans, Haitians and some few Cubans now working in the cane fields.

Tokio, March.—The entire district of the Hakone mountains about 50 miles from Tokio has just been visited by severe earthquakes. Forty-eight shocks of one or less severity occurred during one evening. Concomitant was caused in the whole district, the inhabitants fleeing their homes and visitors from Tokio and

elsewhere, who were wintering at the hot springs, taking refuge in the town of Odawara. There is no report of loss of life.

The center of shocks were the villages of Kiga, Gaura, Miyashita, Yumoto, Motoshakone, Lake Ashi and Owakudani, which are all the sites of well known hot springs, visited by thousands of foreign tourists every year.

The oscillations were also felt at Gotemba, Atami and the neighboring districts. Great uneasiness prevails among local inhabitants. It is feared that the shocks may be the precursor of an eruption of the famous extinct crater at Owakudani.

Dr. Mamura, professor of seismology at the Imperial University says that the principal Hakone peak of Owakudani has not been active since prehistoric ages. He does not forecast a new dangerous eruption.

SAYS NEW INVENTIONS ARE MILITARY SECRETS

Member of French Institute Says Marvelous Progress Has Been Made Along Scientific Lines Since War Began—Mentions Few Isolated Cases

Paris, Feb.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Paul Painleve, a member of the French Institute, eminent in mathematics, deputy for the Latin quarter and until recently Minister of Public Instruction and the Sciences, declares that Thomas Edison "was rather severe in his judgment when he expressed his opinion that science had played so small a part in the war."

"The most scientific applications made since the war began are still military secrets," said M. Painleve to The Associated Press. "When it is all over and details of new inventions and new developments of old ones, discovered and put into practice, used at the front, may be revealed, I think Mr. Edison will revise his opinion and that the world generally will admit that science has done its part."

"To mention only isolated cases, the processes of wireless communication and for the registering of sounds at distances, that is by the ordinary wireless currents and ground induction, have been marvellously perfected through the requirements of the war. All the armies are rivaling each other in skillful methods of tapping the enemy's lines of telephonic communication from a considerable distance; not tapping as it is generally understood, but by use of a marvelous instrument that enables the sentinel in his advanced listening post out beyond the front line of trenches to hear the enemy communications by telephone going over wires that are several hundred yards away."

"No more than an allusion to these things may be made," said M. Painleve, who, as Minister of Munitions, organized a veritable mobilization of scientists and scientific laboratories in France. "The technical services of his ministry collaborated with inventors to bring to practical use the interesting propositions that were found worth considering. He himself presided over a special commission of men of science, charged with the examination of all new inventions and processes proposed for use in the national defense, and must consequently be regarded as in a better position than any other man in France to know what science has done for the war."

"I would mention also," he said, "a system that we perfected and put into

use for locating the enemy's batteries by sound. The principle was known before the war but it has been regarded as impracticable. It has, since the war, been brought to the highest state of perfection and efficiency and for months has been in use over our entire front. It has proven so effective that our adversaries, who captured a motor car with one of the outfits have equipped themselves with similar appliances but lacking the delicacy and precision of our instruments. It was France that had the entire initiative of this brilliant application."

"Inventions for following the enemy's sapping and mining operations by sound that were, in all armies, very crude and insufficient before the war, have made the most remarkable progress and will reflect honor upon French science later on."

Martin McDonough of Beardstown, proprietor of the Park Hotel in that city visited friends in the city yesterday.

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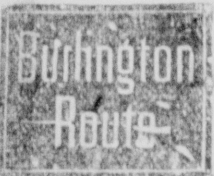
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AUTO NOTES

Walter Neal of Arcadia came down to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

T. N. Bush and family came up to the city yesterday from Murrayville in their Abbott-Detroit car.

Charles McDonald of Litterberry was a traveler to the city yesterday in his Interstate car.

Willard Young came down to the city yesterday from Litterberry in his Maxwell car.

Jesse Decker of Virginia rode to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Wm. Petelish of Litterberry traveled to the city yesterday with his family in his Ford car.

Samuel Darley of Durbin vicinity came up to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Clark Stevenson of the region of Orleans traveled to town yesterday in his Buick car.

Louis Baptist of the north part of the county rode down to town yesterday in his Buick car.

James Parker of Litterberry made a trip to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

James Gaddis of Concord arrived in the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Henry Richardson of the Point vicinity came to town yesterday in his Buick coupe.

John Naylor of the north part of the county traveled to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Daniel Geiger of Arenzville rode to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

A. Chappell of Merodosa was a caller in the city yesterday coming in his Maxwell car.

O. E. Petelish of Litterberry brought his family to town yesterday in his H. C. car.

Arthur Swain rode down to the city from Sinclair yesterday in his Hudson car.

E. T. Sample came up to the city yesterday from Pisgah with his family in his Ford car.

Scott Green of Antioch vicinity traveled to the city yesterday in his Chalmers car.

Charles M. Strawn of Alexander made a trip to town yesterday in his Studebaker car.

C. Smith of Winchester rode up to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Amos Swain of Sinclair precinct called on city people yesterday coming in his Hudson car.

Oliver Coultas of the region of Litterberry came to town yesterday in his Oakland car.

Robert Coates of near Litterberry came in yesterday in his Hudson car.

Roy Jokes of Springfield made a trip to the city yesterday in his Hudson car.

Charles B. Joy came in from Joy Prairie yesterday after a visit with his brother, making the trip in his Ford car with Mrs. Ed Joy and her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rice of Arnold region drove to town yesterday in their Mitchell car.

George Coulson of Neelyville came up to the city yesterday in his Hudson car.

Charles Ater came over to the city from Arenzville yesterday in his Ford car.

Warren Tankersley of Winchester traveled to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Wesley Andel of Scott county journeyed to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Joseph Bunch of Winchester rode to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

B. J. Ball of Concord made a trip to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

William Naylor of Concord traveled to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Ernest Chrisman of Merritt journeyed to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

George Breitweiser of South Main street has bought a Ford car.

J. M. Doyle of West Morgan street has bought a Ford car.

Arthur Burrus of Arenzville traveled to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Carl Hembrough rode up to town from Asbury yesterday in his Ford car.

Earl Baptist of the southwest part of the county rode to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Dr. J. W. Berryman of Scottville brought his family to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Justin Leib of Exeter arrived in the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Elmer Henderson of Ebenezer

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neighborhood came to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Prince Coates of Scott county drove to town yesterday with his family in his Mitchell car.

W. W. Robertson of Berea came down to the city yesterday in his Jeffery car.

Wm. Edwards and daughter rode down to the city yesterday from Sinclair in their Ford car.

Lester Hart of Sinclair precinct came down yesterday in his Rambler car.

Eugene E. Hart of Sinclair made a trip to the city yesterday in his Rambler car.

Robert Smith of the southeast part of the county traveled to town yesterday in his Studebaker car.

James McCormick of Woodson precinct came in yesterday in his Overland car.

George Seymour of Franklin journeyed to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Arthur Spencer of Green county came up to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Frank Robinson of Murrayville came to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Louis Maul of Arcadia drove down to the city yesterday in his Interstate car.

John R. Wilson of Durbin vicinity came to town yesterday in his Overland car.

W. L. Rexroat and family of Virginia came over to the city yesterday in their Interstate car.

George M. Stewart and family rode up from Winchester yesterday in their Ford car.

Melvin Murray of Winchester was a traveler to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

D. C. H. son and family made a trip from Arcadia to the city yesterday in their Maxwell car.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunter of Sinclair made a trip to the city yesterday in their Interstate car.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Donnell of Winchester made a trip to the city yesterday in their Cadillac car.

Grant Coultas, wife and daughter of Scott county came to town yesterday in their Cadillac car.

Rev. C. G. Cantrall of Concord came to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

J. W. Bell of Petersburg journeyed to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Carol Robinson of Berea neighborhood rode down to the city yesterday in his Jeffery car.

A. C. McCullough of Scott county made a trip to the city yesterday with his family in his Cadillac car.

V. S. Chappel of Chapin made the city a visit yesterday coming in his Overland car.

O. J. Ferman of Arenzville was a city visitor yesterday coming in his Overland car.

W. H. Mosely of Pisgah precinct traveled to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Sherman McGinnis of Merodosa arrived in the city yesterday on business in his Ford car.

Thomas McGinnis of Merodosa was a city caller yesterday traveling in his Ford car.

Allinson Thomason of Markham vicinity made a trip to the city yesterday in his Carter car.

S. H. Cady representing the Republic Truck Co. of Alma, Michigan, called on F. L. O'Donnell yesterday.

John Baumaister of Shiloh region drove to the city yesterday with his family in his Maxwell car.

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VIRGINIA

L. O. Skiles and wife departed on Wednesday eve for Chicago, where he has accepted a position with a printing and engraving company.

Mrs. Mary Woodward will leave tomorrow for Evanston for a visit with her daughter.

Frank Bristow was in this city Sunday viewing the scenes of his childhood.

Reuben and Dr. Jockish left Wednesday for Texas, where they will farm the land recently purchased.

The Rebekah Lodge will give an entertainment and socialable at the Odd Fellows' hall Wednesday evening, March 14. Each member will bring a guest.

Samuel Greenwood purchased several lots from J. N. Sinclair in the west part of the city.

Mrs. Stella Alkire sold her residence property occupied by L. O. Skiles to John Woodward, who will remove to this city.

John Hurie of Petersburg was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

R. E. Widmayer shipped a choice bunch of cattle to St. Louis Tuesday.

Miss Grace Todd was a week end guest of her brother, Harry Todd and family in Lewistown.

John Hughtett sold and delivered his corn this week at \$1.02 per bushel.

—MANCHESTER—

The Domestic Science club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Mark White Wednesday afternoon. The program was as follows:

Recitation, "Little Brown Eyes"—Mrs. C. D. Chapman.

Demonstration, "Country Captain"—L. C. Funk.

A social hour and "dimple party" followed.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis spent Tuesday in Jacksonville as the guest of Miss Jessie Whorton.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. McConnell were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. C. F. Strang and Mrs. Ella Spencer of Murrayville were guests at the home of Mrs. J. C. Andrus Jr. Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Langdon spent Wednesday in White Hall at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. N. Collins.

Mrs. Anna McCarty returned to her home Wednesday after spending several days in the vicinity of Winchester at the home of Bert Beau.

J. M. Heaton made a business trip to East St. Louis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodall spent Tuesday in St. Louis.

Dr. W. T. Knox and sons Russell and Kenneth of White Hall spent Wednesday here.

Henry Bell and daughter Mary returned home Wednesday after a brief visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. R. H. Walton is visiting in White Hall the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Strang and family.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Saturday morning at the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium the regular games of the Junior A. basketball league were played. The Fords and the Studebakers were to play the first game but the Studebakers were short their best players and they decided to forfeit the game to the Fords and choose up between the players and play a practice game.

The game between the Buicks and the Marmons was a real one from the start to the end. Both teams played hard and fast and each team got in some fine team work but the basket shooting was decidedly off.

Time after time each team worked the ball up to shooting distance only to miss the basket and then the ball took another merry chase around the floor. The Marmons finally succeeded in tossing two field baskets and one foul while the Buick team could get one foul toss, making the final score 5 to 1 in favor of the Marmons.

Standing of the League

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Fords	6	5	1	833
Marmons	6	5	2	667
Buicks	6	3	3	500
Studebakers	6	0	6	000

Tuesday, March 13, the State St. Presbyterian team will play the Centenary M. E. Team of the Sunday school league and the Westminster Presbyterian team and the Central Christian team will line up on Thursday, March 15. Games will be called promptly at six-thirty o'clock.

Standing of the S. S. League

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Central Christian	3	2	1	667
Centenary M. E.	2	1	1	500
Westminster Pres.	2	1	1	500
State St. Pres.	2	1	1	500
Grace M. E.	3	1	2	333

Campers Re-Union

Monday night at six-thirty the members of last years boys camp will get together at a re-union. Mr. Becker and Mr. Brewer are the committee to prepare the supper and they promise a real camp supper of goodies. All the big "stunts" of the camp last summer will be rehearsed and perhaps some plans for this years camp will be talked over. The certificates of the Royal Order of Stuck-ups, the famous Camp organization will be presented to the members at this meeting.

WILL HOLD PUBLIC SALE

Elmer Coultas will hold a public sale at the W. W. Hamilton place west of the Burlington depot in Winchester Wednesday March 14, consisting of live stock and farm implements.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends for their kindness in our recent great bereavement.

Mrs. W. T. Thompson and children.

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DIAMONDS

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to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Sunday
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Phone, Ill. 5; Bell, 205.

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Ayers National Bank Bldg. Room
409. Office hours: 10:30 to 12 a. m.;
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Residence—Pacific Hotel.
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Call Illinois phone 1340. 3-10-21.

WANTED—Counter for lunch room;
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310. 3-9-31

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WANTED TO BUY—Vacant lots in
the Car Shops add. M. C. Hook
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3-11-11.

WANTED—Used Ford for cash. Ad-
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WANTED—To hire, small gentle
saddle horse. Inquire 1157 West
Lafayette avenue. Ill phone 532.
Bell 332. 3-10-31.

COTTAGE WANTED—We have
cash buyer for small house in
Fourth ward worth from \$1,250
to \$2,000. The Johnston Agency.
3-8-11.

WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't
matter if broken. I pay \$1.00 to
\$5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazur,
2007 S. Fifth Street, Philadelphia,
Pa., and will send cash by return
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WANTED—A chambermaid at the
Grand Hotel. 3-6-51

WANTED—A good cook at 1243
West State St. 3-8-11.

WANTED—Competent cook Mrs.
W. T. Capps, 1018 West State
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WANTED—Experienced single man
to work on farm. Call Ill. phone
619. 3-11-31.

WANTED—Married man to work
on farm. Apply 441 South East
street. 3-10-11.

WANTED—Experienced girl, general
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Ill. phone 716. 3-9-61

WANTED—Married man to work
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WANTED—Good girl for gen-
eral housework. Apply Mrs.
Frank Strawn, 1231 Mound Ave-
nue. 3-7-11.

WANTED—Middle aged lady or
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Mrs. W. J. Kumble, Our Savior's
Hospital. 3-8-41.

COUNTY AGENTS—Sure cure for
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saves gasoline. Motor can't miss.
Old plugs last life of car. Jubilee,
1107-105 W. Monroe St., Chicago.
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FOR SALE—Some native lumber,
assorted sizes. F. J. Blackburn.
Both phones. 3-1-11.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and
buggy. Illinois Phone 1355. 3-4-11

FOR SALE—Ben Hur range cheap.
710 North Diamond street. 3-11-11

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs for
setting. Illinois phone 50-1373. 2-21-110.

FOR SALE—Oak and cottonwood
lumber. Ill. Phone 677. Woodson. 3-4-110

FOR SALE—Cordwood \$4.50 per
cord delivered. Call Bell phone
203-R2. 2-10-11.

FOR SALE—Plane cheap. Want to
sell at once. Will leave city Mon-
day. 746 W. Railroad. 3-11-11

FOR SALE—Extra good small barn
to be moved from lot. George H.
Harney, Ill. phone 16. 3-7-11

FOR SALE—Seed corn and Straw-
berry plants. L. N. James, Ill.
phone 86. 3-6-11

FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Is-
land Red eggs \$1.50 'per setting.
Call Illinois 696. 2-22-110.

NEW MODEL BUICK, 7 passenger,
driven a few months. Bargain for
quick sale. Priest's garage. 3-7-61.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth
Rock eggs, \$1 for 15. Mrs. W.
H. Paschall, Markham, both
phones. 3-3-11.

FOR SALE—Ford car, 1916 model,
in excellent condition. Call to-
day. 1916 South Clay avenue. 5-11-11

FOR SALE—Set work harness;
three sets single harness. 333
West Court street. Bell phone 593. 3-8-61

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Buff Or-
pington eggs for hatching. Frank
Speidel, 1224 E. Railroad St. 2-22-110

FOR SALE—Iowa rust proof seed
oats, also four year old horses
Charles L. Ranson, South of city.
3-11-31.

FOR SALE—\$2,000 note, 5 per
cent semi-annually, good first
mortgage on real estate. Address
"Note," care Journal. 3-11-61.

FOR SALE—A first class pair of
seven head White Plymouth
Rocks. D. T. Heimlich, Ill. phone
693, 603 S. East street. 3-11-31

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs,
75c per setting, \$4 per 100. Mrs.
E. R. Carter, both phones. 2-18-11

FOR SALE—At Once. The furnish-
ings of an eight room house at a
bargain. 707 West College Ave.,
Ill. Phone 540. 3-9-31

FOR SALE—One gray mare, year-
ling Jersey heifer, set work har-
ness, farm wagon. Apply 308
Howe street. 3-9-11

FOR SALE—2,000 feet of elm, 1,200
feet of oak, 600 feet sycamore
lumber. Call or write 1115 N.
Diamond. W. E. Bates. 3-9-31

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island
red eggs, 65c per setting. Brown
Leghorn eggs 50c per setting. E.
H. McVay, 322 West Walnut St.
3-6-11

FOR SALE—Blind road horse, best
in city, 2 sets single, 1 set double
harness, runabout, extra wheels
and shafts. Apply 696 E. Court
St. 3-9-31

FOR SALE—Pullman cars, wire
fence, barbed wire, National spark
plugs 1 in. firing space, tires, oils,
and accessories. Joe Stice, 335 E.
Court. 3-11-11

TWO EXCELLENT LOTS for bun-
galows, 50x200, close to car, over-
looking campus, desirable for
home or as investment. Dr. Alpha
B. Applebee. 3-7-61.

FOR SALE—Chicks and eggs for
hatching from all the leading var-
ieties of pure bred fowls. J. C.
& A. J. Weber, Ill. Phone 117. 2-23-110.

FOR SALE—Six room modern house
872 North Church street. Price
low enough to sell quickly. Ap-
ply only to M. C. Hook & Co. 3-11-61

FOR SALE—"Early Bert" Seed
Oats, two weeks earlier than
other varieties. Free from smut and
high yielding. Dr. Hairgrove. 2-25-11.

FOR SALE—40 good work mules.
Come buy a pair to raise some of
this high priced corn. Ill. A. &
L. E. Strubling, Ashland. 2-25-161

FOR SALE—In third ward a five
room cottage, barn and chicken
house, with two nice lots, garden,
fruit, etc. For immediate sale
and possession will take \$1,500.
Story's Exchange. 3-2-11.

FOR SALE—Good two story brick
store building with living rooms,
bake shop, warehouse, and barn
adjoining in Chandlerville. Ill.
Store building all newly painted.
Will sell cheap, or will rent
buildings. Call or write R. H.
Cook, Chandlerville, Ill. 3-3-11.

FOR SALE—A number of houses
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Special Sale of Spring

Coats-- \$13.98

Usually \$18 and \$20!—just the kind you require for immediate wear—choose one at this special sale.

Spring's newest fashions are expressed in these wonderful Coats of striking models in loose, belted and fancy stitched effects—all having fashionable new large collars and fancy pocket effects; in—

Gabardines — Poplins — Velours — Plaids — Mixtures — Burellas



Special Sale of Spring

Dresses-- \$10

Featuring a brand new purchase of \$15.00 and \$18.00 Spring Dresses. Just the right kind of smart dressy frocks women are wanting for right now, in all the new colorings, every size, and undoubtedly the best values in the city at \$10.00. Every woman who wants a fine dress at a low price will be able to make an easy choice from this assortment of beautiful dresses at this extraordinary special sale price.

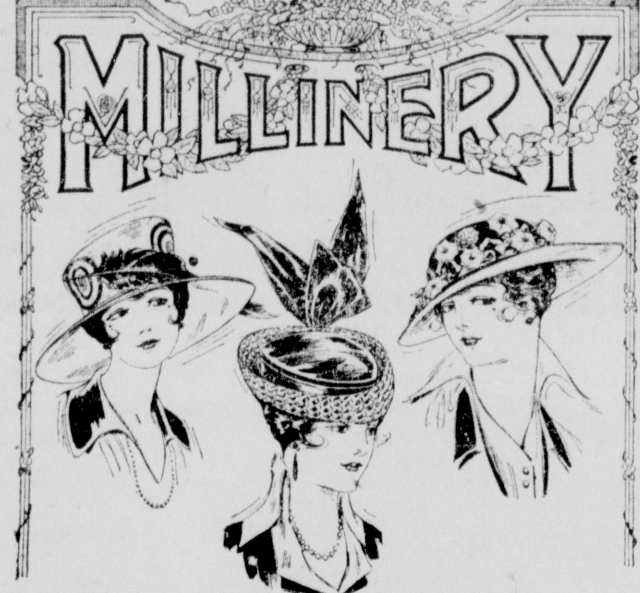


Special Sale of Spring

Suits-- \$16.50

25 distinctive styles to choose from, embracing the smartest sport and tailored spring models, every color, including beige, gray, brown, copen, tan, black, rose, magenta, gold and apple green, will be found here, in sizes for women, juniors and misses.

Values up to \$22.50, Special Sale Price, \$16.50



Special Sale of Spring

Hats-- \$3.98

Featuring for this week stunning new

TRIMMED HATS

Regular \$6.00, \$7.00 and

\$8.00 values at \$3.98

Over 500 wonderfully charming hats in this collection, large dressy hats, tailored hats, sport hats—hats for every occasion in all the favored straws and colorings of the season. New liseres, milans, milan hems, and black lace hats, trimmed with flowers, ornaments, wings, ponpons, and fancy novelties.

SKIRTS! Positive \$5.95, \$6.95 and \$7.95 values. Materials include—Silk Poplins—Plain Taffetas—Striped Taffetas—French Serges—Serges—Poplins—Plaid Shantung Silk and Velour Checks—Countless styles to choose from in all the new high and staple colorings—REGULAR AND EXTRA SIZES.

\$5

The Emporium

UNTRIMMED HATS SPECIAL PRICE
Big selection of desirable shapes—sailors, chin-chin, droopy brim, turbans, and other small hats, now very much in demand. Materials—Patent Milan and fine quality hemp straw. Colors—Black, Gold, Brown, Copenhagen, Green, Purple, Gray. Hat trimmed free when hat and materials are bought here.

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FARM NOTES

The Fifty Pound Cow
At the suggestion of Albert Hopper of the Sinclair neighborhood who is a breeder of thoroughbred Holstein the following interesting story is given of the great butterfat record made recently by a Holstein cow.

A new world's record for all breeds for butterfat production in the seven-day division was established by the pure-bred Holstein-Friesian cow, Segis Fayne Johanna 114-658, in a test ending January 8, 1917. This remarkable cow produced 50.68 pounds of butter in seven consecutive days, and the official test was conducted by supervisors from the New York State Agricultural College, Ithaca, N. Y.

Segis Fayne Johanna, by her wonderful achievement, is now the most talked of cow in the world, and her sensational record marks a signal triumph in the forward march of the Holstein-Friesian breed.

She was bred by A. A. Cortelyou, of Somerville, N. J., and her present owner is Oliver Cabana, Jr., proprietor of Pine Grove Farms, Elma Center, N. P., at which noted establishment four other world's record holders have been developed during the past six months.

The new world's record holder freshened at the age of 8 years, 2 months and 17 days. She is four-fifths white, weighs about 1450 pounds, and is sired by King Fayne Segis 46767. Her dam is Vikina Johanna 64383, a daughter of Johanna Rue 3d's dad and Vikina Clothilde.

The test was made under perfect conditions, absolute quiet, systematic feeding and milking, and a roomy stall constructed of clean white enameled walls.

Segis Fayne Johanna's seven-day production of over 50 pounds of butter surpasses that of Hester Aultje Korndyke, the previous world's record holder, by 3.91 pounds. In their present warranted state of elation, enthusiastic Holstein-Friesian breeders over the dairy world at large now marvel at the accomplishment of what was almost impossible and ask, "Where will it end?"

Corn for Improvement

Several men have told me recently that they find it more profitable to buy high-class purebred seed

corn each year than to produce it themselves. Recently I was talking with one man who formerly kept a seed corn breeding plot and he told me that he was not going to plant a breeding plot this year but buy seed corn from someone else who already had a great deal of experience and much success with this very particular work of breeding corn for high yields. This attitude is held by so many farmers that it indicates a significant trend of the seed corn business. The men who go into the corn breeding work with determination and care and work up a considerable experience and reputation, may confidently expect their business to grow to large proportions. All intelligent farmers realize the importance of real good seed corn and there are many who would rather buy it than take the time and trouble to produce it themselves.

Many Demonstrations This Year

The last two weeks I have spent a half a day or a day at a time in the different towns in the county talking to the Farm Bureau members regarding the various problems they save and concerning their plans for this year. Notices of the time and place for these conferences were mailed to all the members and at some points so many came in that it was hard to find time to talk over everything they had in mind. I find that a large share of the members are planning to carry on demonstration work this year with one or more of twenty or thirty different projects we have going. This will make it possible for any of the members to see near at hand the actual work in progress on most any problem they may be interested in. The prospect is that this will be the most successful year yet experienced in this line of work.

Talks About Livestock Market

W. S. Tippet of East St. Louis was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday and was the guest of Dr. Charles E. Scott. Mr. Tippet is a Swift & Co. hog buyer in East St. Louis and is also associated with the Farmers Store Co. This company has a large farm located a few miles from East St. Louis and makes a practice of buying hogs in the St. Louis market or raising them, and after inoculating them for cholera selling them out to feeders. Mr. Tippet said yesterday that they now have very few hogs on the farm as prices are so high that feeders are afraid to buy them. Mr. Tippet believes that the top has been reached in the hog market as he says a number of the foreign meat contracts have now been filled. He says that there are some incomplete contracts but he does not look for as sharp demand as has marked recent weeks. This fact, together with the approach of warm weather, he believes will be instrumental in bringing hogs to somewhat lower levels. Mr. Tippet is of the opinion, however, that hog prices will continue high for months to come, probably around 10 or 12c. Asked about the cattle market Mr. Tippet said that his idea is that there will continue to be a good demand for all classes of cattle and that in

all probability the prices will be somewhat higher than now, although \$1 has been put onto the cattle prices in a week's time. Considered relatively with hog prices, cattle are low. Mr. Tippet says that the fact that there is a genuine shortage will have a large effect in keeping prices high. He also realizes that high prices for hogs have resulted in shipments to market of a great many animals which would ordinarily have been kept for further feeding. Even with these shipments the supply has not come quite up to the expectations of the feeders, and as more half fat hogs have come to market than usual, the next few months will show fewer hogs in the country than normally happens.

How to Cure Meat

At a recent meeting of the Hudson Farmers' club in Bloomington the topic of "Curing Meat" was discussed, by Mr. William Humphries. He offered the following suggestions:

"Trim the pieces carefully, lay them away until the animal heat is out, taking care the meat does not freeze. Frozen meat will not sugar cure. When the meat has cooled sufficiently, rub it with the following ingredients thoroughly mixed:
"10 quarts of salt;
"5 pounds of brown sugar;
"1 tablespoonful of black pepper;
"1 teaspoonful of cayenne pepper.
"After rubbing the meat, pack it snugly in a barrel and leave it for a month, then take it out, dip in boiling water to remove surplus salt, and hang it up to drain for twenty-four hours. Sprinkle with a mixture of powdered borax and black pepper, equal parts. It is then ready for smoking. After smoking it can be hung up without covering as the borax will keep all insects away from it."

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PISGAH CHURCH MEETING.

A Congregational meeting will be held at the Pisgah Presbyterian Church Sunday, March 18th at 2:30. The Rev. W. E. Spooner will preside.

AUXILIARY OF C. W. B. M. ORGANIZED AT CONCORD

Officers Chosen at Meeting Held at Christian Church Parsonage—Mrs. Peck of Jacksonville District Organizer

Concord, March 7.—Mrs. Stella A. Peck of Jacksonville, district organizer of the C. W. B. M., met a number of the ladies of the Christian church on Thursday afternoon at the church parsonage in Concord and organized an auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. The following officers were chosen:
President—Mrs. G. J. R. Wolf.
Vice president—Mrs. C. G. Cantrell.
Secretary—Mrs. A. M. Johnson.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. H. Abernathy.
Another meeting will be held on the 21st at the parsonage and Mrs. Peck will be present.

PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. R. H. Louden and daughter, Miss Georgia of Virginia spent Wednesday with Mrs. W. W. Melvin.
Mrs. Daisy Miles and little son Billy returned to their home near Hamburg, Iowa, after several weeks' visit with her father, W. A. Patillo and family.
Miss Margaret McDonald is spending a few days with Mrs. Wiley Lovelace near Carlisle.
James Anderson and wife were week end guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Wedekind of Beardstown.
Robert Thomas was a business visitor in Springfield Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Travis, Miss Stella Shortridge and Mrs. J. Eldridge of near Prentiss spent last Friday with Ben Shortridge and family.
Mrs. Garland Rogers and son Clarence were shoppers in Virginia Saturday.
Gene Daniels and family of Pekin were Sunday with Calvin Daniels and family.

MANCHESTER

Miss Eva Gunn was called to Jacksonville Friday by the serious illness of her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Gunn.
William Cooper of the State Normal University, Normal, Ill., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper.
Eva Thayer of Rockingham spent several days this week as the guest of Ruby Dean.
Dave Swartwood of White Hall visited with his wife, Laura Blackburn and family this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doherty and family of Winchester visited at the home of Chas. Woodall and family Friday.
Mrs. Clark Dabbels and Mrs. C. M. Russell of White Hall spent Friday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Peck.
Mrs. S. G. Selkoe of White Hall spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Placens.
H. C. Powers donated Thanksgiving City Keweenaw, which he will visit his sister, Mrs. J. H. Peck.
Miss Clara Peck of White Hall is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Custer.

BLUFFS

The basketball game Friday night drew a crowded house and those present thought they got their money's worth in the "hot" game. The score was 9 to 12 in favor of the "Reds." The home team's name was won by the home score being 22, 37.55 which will be added to the basketball fund.
Miss Rosa Botterbusch, south of town was given a surprise party Thursday night in honor of her 31st birthday.
The Wabash is an endeavor to cut down expenses at this point have taken off one water train in charge of Engineer Ross, one switch engine in charge of Engineer Davenport and two of the extra helper crews.
Engineer Fuson of the Keokuk passenger is taking a lay off and Engineer Vannier is taking his place.
George J. Vannier is confined to his

bed suffering from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Botterbusch, south of town.

Miss Jeanette Vortman is suffering from an injured hand caused by being pierced with a crochet needle.
Mrs. Mary Leib and brother, Mike Grady of near Winchester spent Saturday with Mrs. Grace Thomas and family.

The Household Science Club will meet with Mrs. Anna Oakes as hostess Tuesday afternoon with the following program:
Roll call—Tried recipes.
Music—Mrs. R. H. Vannier.
Paper—Mrs. G. H. Vannier.
Potatoes, Their Food Value—Mrs. Stone.
Round table—Suggestions for Sunday night supper—Mrs. Sargent.
Song—America—By Club, led by Mrs. L. S. Black.

1ST WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ranson, south of the city, were tendered a first anniversary wedding celebration recently at the hands of the rotary club. The company came with well filled baskets and an oyster supper was served. Music served to pass the time and a social hour of much pleasure ensued. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boughtman, Mr. and Mrs. John Casey and son William, Mr. and Mrs. John Leach, Mrs. J. H. Devore and son Percy, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winters and daughters, Alma and Innis, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Butler and daughter Twyle, Mr. and Mrs. Bourn and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Voorhes, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reed, Miss Hughes, Misses Nellie and Grace Hembrough and Miss Wilson.

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